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*Abbott, A. C., M.D. Principles of bacteriology: a practical manual for students and physicians. 4th enl. rev. ed. Phil., Lea Bros. & Co., 1897. 542 p. il. 12°, cl., \$2.75. [4019]

*Allbutt, T: Clifford, M.D., ed. A system of medicine, by many writers. V. 4, Diseases of ductless glands—respiratory and circulatory systems. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1897. 12+1001 p. 8°, subs., cl., net. \$5; hf. rus., net, \$6. [4020]

Alpers, W: C. The pharmacist at work. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1898 [1897.] c. '97. 4+326 p. D. cl., \$1.50. [4021]

"There is no intention to present a complete or systematically grouped delineation of the science or art of pharmacy; nor is the book expected to replace or supersede any other existing work. Its main object is to depict, through the means of examples drawn from actual occurrence, the necessity of combining theoretical knowledge with practical experience in order to meet the many emergencies of our profession; further, to place before the older pharmacists a model of how they may effectively instruct their apprentices, and, finally, to teach the younger ones to learn and study, and how to apply book learning to their daily work."—Preface.

Amicis, Edmondo de. On blue water; tr. by Jacob B. Brown. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, [1897.] c. 8+387 p. il. O. cl., \$1.25. [4022]

An account of a voyage from Genoa to Buenos Ayres in the *Galileo*, a steamer carrying emigrants. The interest lies entirely in the study of the types of humanity. The author describes twenty different groups and characters, all dramatic, nothing exaggerated, nothing improbable. Gotten up uniform with the author's earlier works on Holland, Spain, Morocco, Italy, etc.

Amicis, Edmondo de. Won by a woman (*La maestrina degli operai*): a story from life; from the Italian, by G. Mantellini. Chic., Laird & Lee, [1897.] c. 6-240 p. il. S. cl., 75 c. [4023]

The peasants and the workingmen employed in the large iron mills and sulphuric acid factories of Turin had a night school provided for them. This was taught by a young woman who passed many uncomfortable hours with her intelligent but unruly pupils. One especially was an almost dangerous character, but after awhile was "won by a woman," and laid down his life in the defence of his young teacher.

*Andersen, Hans Christian. Fairy tales. New complete ed. N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., 1897. 288 p. il. 4°, cl., \$2.50. [4024]

Aurevilly, J. A. Barbey d'. Of dandyism and of George Brummell; from the French, by Douglas Ainslie. Bost., Copeland & Day, 1897. 23+141 p. D. cl., \$1.50. [4025]

This curiosity of manners and of history was written in 1844. In the study of Dandyism the characters of Richelieu, Fielding, Marlborough, Chesterfield, Bolingbroke, etc., are studied. The ideal story of the life of Beau Brummell is here given, purged of the trivial and unpleasant details which burden biographies. Gotten up neatly in white parchment, with gold lettering.

*B., H. More beasts (for worse children); verses by H. B., pictures by B. V. T. N.

Y., E: Arnold, 1897. 48 p. obl. 4°, bds., \$1.25. [4026]

Baldwin, Ja. School reading by grades. Seventh year: eighth year. N. Y., American Book Co., [1897.] c. 240 p. por. il. D. cl., ea., 50 c. [4027]

Ball, Eustace A. Reynolds. The city of the caliphs: a popular study of Cairo and its environs and the Nile and its antiquities. Bost., Estes & Lauriat, [1897.] c. 5+335 p. il. O. cl., \$3; mor., \$5. [4028]

The history of the city of Cairo does not go back further than mediæval times. It falls into two periods—that of Arab rule, when it was the seat of the Caliphate, and the period of Turkish dominion, from 1517 to the present time. Some space is devoted to recent Egyptological discoveries. Illustrated from photographs.

Barnett, S: A. The service of God: sermons, essays, and addresses. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1897. 8+346 p. D. cl., \$2. [4029]

Barrows, J: H., D.D. Christianity the world-religion: lectures delivered in India and Japan. Chic., A. C. McClurg & Co., 1897. c. 4-412 p. D. (Barrows' lectures, 1896-97.) cl., \$1.50. [4030]

The Barrows' Lectures are founded by Mrs. Caroline E. Haskell and are under the auspices of the University of Chicago. They are to be delivered year by year in the important cities of Asia. Their object is to foster the fraternal spirit which pervaded the Parliament of Religions, and specially to show the harmonies of the truths of Christianity with the truths of other religions. Seven lectures were given in 1896-97, which are gathered here. An appendix tells of Dr. Barrows' travels in India and Japan. Bibliographies and notes for the lectures occupy 55 pages. Index.

Baucus, Georgiana. In journeyings oft: a sketch of the life and travels of Mary C. Nind. Cin., O., Curts & Jennings, 1897. c. 3-334 p. D. cl., \$1. [4031]

In 1894 the Methodist Episcopal Bishop was sent to make the customary visitations of the missions in Eastern Asia. His wife and Mary C. Nind (Cousin Mary) accompanied him. This is an account of the work done by the latter in encouraging the missionaries and advising new methods of work.

Baum, L. Frank. Mother Goose in prose. Chic., Way & Williams, [1897.] c. 4-265 p. il. D. bds., \$2. [4032]

An interesting expansion in prose of the familiar Mother Goose jingles—"Sing a song o' sixpence," "Old King Cole," "Little Jack Horner," "Little Bo-Peep," etc. The author supplies the details where the verse only contains a suggestion of a story. Twelve full-page illustrations by Maxfield Parrish, who has also designed the cover.

Bell, D: C., ed. The reader's Shakespeare: his dramatic works condensed, connected, and emphasized, for school, college, parlour, and platform. In 3 v. V. 3. Comedies. N. Y., Funk & Wagnalls Co., 1897. c. 521 p. D. cl., \$1.50. [4033]

See notice under v. 1, "Weekly Record," P. W., December 21, 1895, [1247.]

Bellaigue, Camille. Portraits and silhouettes of musicians; from the French, by Ellen

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- Orr. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., 1897. c. 4+302 p. por. D. cl., \$1.50. [4034]
Three Italian masters—Palestrina, Marcello, and Pergolesi—are treated in the opening papers, which are accompanied by portraits. Then comes a sketch and picture of C. Gounod; finally under "Silhouettes of musicians" are grouped the names of Haydn, Mozart, Gluck, Beethoven, Rossini, Weber, Mendelssohn, Schumann, Auber, Berlioz, Meyerbeer, and Wagner.
- Berenson, Bernhard.** The Venetian painters of the Renaissance. 3d ed., with 24 photo-gravures. N. Y., G. P. Putnam's Sons, 1897. c. '94. 17+162 p. O. cl., \$4. [4035]
The illustrations include twenty-four celebrated paintings. There are three Titians, two Tintoretos, two Giorgiones, two Bellinis, and the other artists represented are Crevelli, Vivarini, Barbari, Piombo, the two Palmas, Lotto, Messina, Carpaccio, Cuna, Bissolo, Catena, Veronese, and Berdone. The text is a reprint of the third edition with some revisions necessitated by changes in the hanging of pictures in galleries, etc., and some new criticisms.
- Bernard of Cluny, St.** The celestial country; from the rhythm of St. Bernard of Cluny; tr. by J. Mason Neale, D.D. N. Y., M. F. Mansfield, [1897.] c. unpub. il. S. cl., \$1. [4036]
Printed on rough paper, uncut edges, top gilt. The text is in an artistic frame, printed in pale green ink. Bound in white, with green and gold design.
- Bible.** Old Testament. The books of the Kings of Judah and Israel: a harmony of the Books of Samuel, Kings, and Chronicles in the text of the version of 1884, by W. Day Crockett; with an introd. by Willis Judson Beecher, D.D. N. Y., Eaton & Mains, 1897. c. 8+365 p. O. cl., \$2. [4037]
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- *Bible.** Old Testament. The Eversley Bible; arranged in paragraphs; with an introd. by J. W. Mackail. In 8 v. V. 2, Deuteronomy-II. Samuel. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1897. 459 p. 8°, cl., \$1.50. [4038]
- *Bible year-book;** for children: a text for every day in the year. N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., 1897. 100 p. 32°, cl., 50 c. [4039]
- *Black, Israel P.** Practical primary plans; for primary teachers of the Sunday-school. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1897. 198 p. 12°, cl., \$1. [4040]
- Blanchard, Amy Ella.** Three pretty maids; il. by Alice Barber Stephens. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1897. c. 243 p. il. D. cl., \$1.25. [4041]
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- *Book of games for children.** N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., 1897. 192 p. il. 4°, cl., \$2. [4042]
- Book (A) of nursery rhymes;** il. by Francis D. Bedford. N. Y., Doubleday & McClure Co., 1897. 7-91 p. il. O. bds., \$1.50. [4043]
Favorite selections from the "Mother Goose melodies," illustrated with quaint colored pictures of Little Miss Muffet, Wee Willie Winkle, Old King Cole, Little Boy Blue, Jack and Jill, etc.
- *Book of old English love-songs (A);** with an introd. by Hamilton Wright Mabie, and an accompaniment of decorative drawings by G. Wharton Edwards. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1897. 12°, cl., \$2; large-pap. ed., limited to 75 copies, 8°, buckram, net, \$5. [4044]
- Bourgougnon, A.** Physical problems and their solutions. N. Y., D. Van Nostrand Co., 1897. c. 4+224 p. S. (Van Nostrand's science ser., no. 113.) bds., 50 c. [4045]
The problems are classified under the headings corresponding to the different divisions of physics (gravity, heat, pressure, etc.) to which they are related. The general formulæ are prepared by explanations, but no attempt is made at demonstrations, these belonging properly to the study of physics itself. In an appendix are problems given at examinations by the University of the State of New York. The solution of some of these problems is given, and references are made to similar problems already treated.
- Boylan, Grace Duffie.** The old house, and other poems and sketches. N. Y., E. R. Herrick & Co., [1897.] c. 112 p. por. il. sq. D. cl., \$1.25. [4046]
Humorous, tragic, sentimental, and pathetic poems and prose sketches by a well-known contributor to the Chicago press. Profusely illustrated by Ike Morgan, Everett E. Lowry, J. T. McCutcheon, W. Schmedtgen, Clyde J. Newman, and others, with cover design by W. W. Denslow.
- Boyle, Virginia Frazer.** Brokenburne: a southern auntie's war tale; il. by W. H. Walker. N. Y., E. R. Herrick & Co., 1897. c. 4+75 p. O. cl., \$1.50. [4047]
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- *Brine, Mary D.** The doings of a dear little couple. N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., 1897. 48 p. il. 16°, (Dainty ser.) cl., 50 c. [4048]
- Brontë, Charlotte.** [Mrs. Nichols, "Currer Bell," pseud.] Shirley: a tale; il. by F. H. Townsend. N. Y., G. P. Putnam's Sons, 1897. 509 p. D. (Illustrated English lib., no. 8.) cl., \$1. [4049]
- Brorup, R. P.** Truth and poetry. [Poems.] Chic., International Book Co., [1897.] c. 4-114 p. D. cl., 40 c. [4050]
- Bulwer-Lytton, E. Rob.,** [Lord Lytton, "Owen Meredith," pseud.] Lucile. *Edition de luxe*; 12 facsimiles of water-colors, by Madeleine Lemaire, and 100 il. in black-and-white, by C. McCormick Rogers. N. Y., F. A. Stokes Co., [1897.] c. 382 p. O. cl., \$4; \$5. *Octavo ed.*, cl., \$3; hf. levant, \$5. [4051]
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- Burgess, Gelett.** Vivette; or, the memoirs of the Romance Association. Bost., Copeland & Day, 1897. 7+152 p. map, S. cl., \$1.25. [4053]
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- Butler, S.** The authoress of the "Odyssey"; where and when she wrote, who she was, the use she made of the "Iliad," and how the poem grew under her hands. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1897. 14+275 p. por. O. cl., \$3.50. [4054]
- *Byron, G. Gordon Noel (Lord.)** Poetical

- works; ed. by T: Moore. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1897. 4 v., il. 12°, cl., \$6; hf. cl., \$12. [4055]
- Carey, Rosa Nouchette.** Other people's lives. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1898 [1897.] c. '97. 4-299 p. D. cl., \$1.25. [4056]
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- This tale concerns the search for, finding, loss, and eventual recovery of a certain ring. The scene is New York City.
- *Cassidy, Michael J.** Prisons and convicts: observation and experience gained during thirty-seven years of continuous service in the administration of the Eastern State Penitentiary, Pa. Phil., Patterson & White, 1897. 122 p. 8°, cl., \$2. [4058]
- Chamberlain, W: B.** Principles of vocal expression: being a revision of the rhetoric of vocal expression; with mental technique and literary interpretation. by S. H. Clark. Chic., Scott, Foresman & Co., 1897. c. 19+479 p. D. cl., net, \$1.50. [4059]
- *Chapman, Frank M.** Bird life: a study of our common birds. *Edition in colors.* N. Y., Appleton, 1897. col. pl. il. 8°, cl., \$5. [4060]
- Cheney, J: Vance.** Out of the silence. Bost., Copeland & Day, 1897. c. 11+134 p. D. cl., \$1.50. [4061]
- Fifty-two new poems and seventy-two revised selections from the author's volumes, "*Thistle-Drift*" and "*Wood Blooms*," now out of print.
- Clark, W:** The Anglican Reformation. N. Y., The Christian Literature Co., 1897. c. 7+482 p. D. (Ten epochs of church history, no. 10.) hf. mor., \$2. [4062]
- The writer of the present volume lays claim only to having endeavored to state the facts with greatest possible impartiality. His own point of view is Anglican. He makes the successive changes in the statement of doctrine and in the manner of worship intelligible to the reader. Describes conditions which began in the reign of Henry VIII. and were consummated under Charles II. Special attention is given to the early history of the relations of the Anglican Communion to the Roman see. Full index.
- Clarke, H. Butler.** The Cid campeador and the waning of the crescent in the west; il. from drawings by Don Santiagos Arcos. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, 1897. c. 14+382 p. il. map, D. (Heroes of the nations ser., no. 23.) cl., \$1.50; hf. mor., \$1.75. [4063]
- The Cid, the Spanish champion of the eleventh century, is a name round which the Spaniards have grouped the qualities they most admire rather than an actual person who possessed these qualities; his legend is not the creation of one mind or one time, but a successive growth in which may be traced from the twelfth to the seventeenth century the evolution of a popular ideal. The historical Cid did battle chiefly with the Saracens. Supposed to have lived from 1035 until 1099.
- Clemens, S: Langhorne,** ["Mark Twain," *pseud.*] Following the equator: a journey around the world. Hartford, Ct., American Publishing Co., 1897. c. 3-712 p. pors. il. O. cl., subs., cl., \$3.50. *Library ed.*, hf. leath., \$4.50; hf. mor., \$6. [4064]
- A humorous description of a literary trip around the world accomplished in thirteen months. Illustrated by Dan Beard, A. B. Frost, B. W. Clinedinst, Frederick Dielman, Peter Newell, A. G. Reinhart, and other artists and with many photographs. All the political events of the present time are subjected to the author's sarcastic but good-natured wit. India, Africa, and Australia are exhaustively described.
- Cobb, Sanford H.** The story of the Palatines: an episode in colonial history. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, 1897. c. 7+319 p. D. cl., \$2. [4065]
- The Palatines were honest, laborious Germans, who had once been thriving burghers of Mannheim and Heidelberg and had cultivated the vine on the banks of the Neckar and the Rhine. Their ingenuity and diligence aided materially in building up the new colonies on the banks of the Hudson and in the central portions of Pennsylvania. The largest emigration of Palatines took place in 1710, when 3000 were landed on American shores. They had suffered much religious persecution, and in the new country were identified with liberty of thought and liberty of the press.
- *Cockcroft, Ja. D.** Encyclopædia of forms and precedents for pleading and practice at common law, in equity, and under the various codes and practice arts; ed. by W. H. Michael and W: Mack, under the supervision of Ja. D. Cockcroft. V. 3, [Bail to breach of promise.] Northport, N. Y., Ja. D. Cockcroft, 1897. c. 5+1085 p. O. shp., \$6. [4066]
- Craigie, Mrs. Mary,** ["John Oliver Hobbes," *pseud.*] The school for saints. N. Y., F: A. Stokes Co., [1897.] c. 2+404 p. D. cl., \$1.50. [4067]
- The time of the chief events in this story is the latter half of 1869, when the Irish Church Bill was uppermost in the minds of the political and social English world. Disraeli and his stand on this question furnish some interesting scenes and some brilliant conversations. The scene shifts between France, England, and Spain. The heroine is an earnest Catholic, a beautiful girl of seventeen, living apart from her husband. Marriage and divorce are also fearlessly discussed.
- Crockett, S: Rutherford.** The surprising adventures of Sir Toady Lion; with those of General Napoleon Smith: an improving history for old boys, young boys, good boys, bad boys, big boys, little boys, cowboys, and tomboys; il. by Gordon Browne. N. Y., F: A. Stokes Co., [1897.] c. 14+314 p. il. O. cl., \$1.50. [4068]
- The story of three mischievous but lovable children, of whom the youngest was Sir Toady Lion. They are motherless, but watched over by a rough-handed, tender-hearted nurse, who had loved their mother. All the ways children can invent to amuse themselves, and about all the trouble they can make, are crowded into the profusely illustrated pages of this new young people's book by the author of "*Sweet-heart travellers*."
- *Crow, Martha Foote, ed.** Elizabethan sonnet cycles. In 3 v. V. 3, "Idea," by Michael Drayton; "Fidessa," by Bartholomew Griffin; "Chloris," by W: Smith. Chic., A. C. McClurg & Co., 1897. 12°, cl., net, \$1.50. [4069]
- Davis, R: Harding.** A year from a reporter's note-book. N. Y., Harper, 1898 [1897.] c. '97. 7+305 p. D. cl., \$1.50. [4070]
- The events reported occurred in different parts of the world between May, 1896 and June, 1897. The more important are the coronation of the Czar of Russia, the millennial celebration at Buda-Pest, Cuba in war time, the inauguration of President McKinley, the events of the Greek war, and the queen's jubilee. The material included has appeared in *Harper's* and *Scribner's* magazines, the *New York Journal*, the *London Times*, etc. Illustrated by R. Caton Woodville, C. D. Gibson, Frederic Remington, and others.
- De Quincey, T:** Lyrics in prose; selected from his works, by R. Brimley Johnson. N. Y., F: A. Stokes Co., [1897.] 9+163 p. por. T. cl., 75 c. [4071]
- Passages from "*The English mail-coach*," "*The*

daughter of Lebanon,"—from the Autobiography, "Confessions of an English opium-eater," and other works, chosen entirely for their style, and printed without comment or notice of their surroundings.

Drummond, W. H.; M.D. The habitant, and other French-Canadian poems; with an introd. by L. Frechette, il. by F. Simpson Coburn. N. Y., G. P. Putnam's Sons, 1897. c. 14+137 p. por. 16°, cl., \$1.25. *Large-pap. ed.*, with 13 full-page photogravures, 8°, \$2.50. [4072]

Twenty-three dialect poems, of which the author says, "that while many of the English-speaking public know perhaps as well as myself the French-Canadian of the cities, yet they have had little opportunity of becoming acquainted with the habitant, therefore I have endeavored to paint a few types, and in doing this it has seemed to me that I could best attain the object in view by having my friends tell their own tales in their own way, as they would relate them to English-speaking auditors not conversant with the French tongue."

***Du Maurier, G.** A legend of Camelot: pictures and poems. N. Y., Harper, 1897. 4°, cl., \$5. [4073]

***Dutton's** up-to-date pocket atlas and gazetteer. N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., 1897. 115 p. 16°, cl., \$1. [4074]

Ellis, W. T. The Presbyterian Christian Endeavor manual for 1898. Phil., The Westminster Press, 1898 [1897.] c. 80 p. nar. T. pap., 15 c. [4075]

***Farrar, F. W. (Dean.)** Sin and its conquerors; or, the conquest of sin. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1897. 147 p. 16°, cl., 50 c. [4076]

Field, Eugene. Lullaby-land: songs of childhood; selected by Kenneth Grahame, and il. by C. Robinson. N. Y., C. Scribner's Sons, [1897.] c. '92-'94. 4-229 p. D. cl., \$1.50. [4077]

Selections from Field's "Love-songs of childhood," "With trumpet and drum," "The second book of verse," and "The lonesome little shoe"; with many page pictures, head and tail pieces, etc.

Fisher, Sydney G. Men, women, and manners in colonial times; il. with photogravures and with decorations by E. Stratton Holloway. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1898 [1897.] c. '97. 2 v., 3-391; 392 p. D. cl., \$3. [4078]

The sharp contrasts of nature, habits, and customs between the various colonies are faithfully described. From the author's pages may be gathered some idea of the storms and rigor of New England, of the rollicking daring of the Carolinas of the stately English lives of the Cavaliers of Virginia, and of the quietness and thrift of the Quakers of Pennsylvania. A special edition of the book is prepared for the holidays and neatly boxed. While pursuing his studies for this work the author has published "The making of Pennsylvania," "Pennsylvania: colony and commonwealth," and "The evolution of the constitution of the United States."

Fitch, Clyde. The smart set: correspondence and conversations. Chic., H. S. Stone & Co., [1897.] c. 4+201 p. S. cl., \$1. [4079]

By letters written from almost every point included in the "grand tour" and from various home cities the smart set of America communicates with each other upon their thoughts and pleasures and wishes and ideals. The subjects are the Makeway ball; the plaintiff; the summer; the children; maternity; a letter of introduction; Wagner, 1897; art; sorrow; the theatre; the opera; a perfect day; the Westington's Bohemian dinner; the gamblers, etc.

Flandrau, C. Macomb. Harvard episodes. Bost., Copeland & Day, 1897. c. 4+339 p. D. cl., \$1.25. [4080]

Stories of college life, entitled The chance; The serpent's tooth; Wolcott the magnificent; Wellington; Butterflies; A dead issue; The class-day idyl.

Ford, Mary Hanford. Balzac's Seraphita the

mystery of sex. Chic., Alice B. Stockham & Co., 1897. c. 4-154 p. 1 il. D. cl., \$1. [4081]

The author has devoted herself to the interpretation of the classics. She discloses the symbolism of Goethe's Faust, of the legend of the Holy Grail, giving a history of its literature from the wandering minstrels to Tennyson and Wagner of our time; and of Balzac's Seraphita, showing how this book contains a wonderful philosophy of health and happiness. See books following under Ford.

Ford, Mary Hanford. Goethe's Faust, its ethical symbolism. Chic., Alice B. Stockham & Co., [1897.] c. 4-162 p. D. cl., \$1. [4082]

Ford, Mary Hanford. The holy grail the silent teacher. Chic., Alice B. Stockham & Co., 1897. c. 4-157 p. 1 il. D. cl., \$1. [4083]

***Fortescue, J. W.** The story of a red deer; with frontispiece. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1897. 144 p. 4°, cl., \$1.50. [4084]

Freese, J. W. Historic houses and spots in Cambridge, Massachusetts, and nearby towns. Bost., Ginn & Co., 1897. c. 8+144 p. il. D. bds., 85 c. [4085]

A study in local history for school-children.

French, Alice, ["Octave Thanet," pseud.] Book of true lovers. Chic., Way & Williams, 1897. c. 8+277 p. D. cl., \$1.25. [4086]

Love stories first published in the *Northwestern Miller*, *Scribner's*, *Harper's*, *McClure's Magazine*, and other periodicals. The titles are: The strike at Glasscock's; The judgment on Mrs. Swift; The dilemma of Sir Guy the neuter; The court of last resort; Why Abbylonia surrendered; The ladder of grief; The captured dream.

Gerard, Dorothea, [Mme. Longard de Longarde.] Miss Providence: a novel. N. Y., Appleton, 1897. 3+295 p. D. (Appleton's town and country lib., no. 229.) cl., \$1; pap., 50 c. [4087]

The scene is an English village. "Miss Providence" is the name given to a young lady named Florence Crossly on account of her desire to settle the affairs of her friends and neighbors. She has a lover in the person of Sir Louis Hepburne; she discovers that he once had a flirtation with a governess, so she thinks it her duty to give him up and bids him marry the governess. He obeys her and later finds out that his supposed wife has a husband and that she is simply an adventuress, who has imposed upon a self-opinionated girl.

Gessmann, G. W. The Chaldaic-geomantic oracle and game of prophecy; from the original German, by H. Gestefeld. N. Y., The Alliance Publishing Co., 1897. c. 8 p. diagrams, pap., 50 c. [4088]

A method of reading the future. Sixteen "geomantical" questions are given, with sixteen answer charts.

***Gibbon, E.** The history of the decline and fall of the Roman empire; with introd., notes, appendices, and index. In 7 v. V. 4, by J. B. Bury. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1897. 13+546 p. 12°, buckram, \$2. [4089]

***Gibson, C. Dana.** People of Dickens, by C. Dana Gibson: six plates. N. Y., R. H. Russell, 1897. Size. 16 x 20 in. portfolio. \$5. *Edition de luxe*, \$10. [4090]

Gill, W. The king of the street. N. Y., G. W. Dillingham Co., 1897. c. 192 p. D. (Dillingham's metropolitan lib., no. 32.) pap., 50 c. [4091]

The story of a Virginian who came to New York after the war and made an immense fortune in Wall Street.

Gomme, G. Laurence, ed. The king's story-book: being historical stories collected out

- of English romantic literature in illustrations of the reigns of English monarchs from the Conquest to William IV.; ed. with an introd. by G. Laurence Gomme; il. by Harrison Miller. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1897. 13+527 p. D. cl., \$2. [4092]
- ***Gottheil, W. S., M.D.** Illustrated skin diseases: an atlas and text-book; with special reference to modern diagnosis and the most approved methods of treatment. N. Y., E. B. Treat & Co., 1897. 424 p. 4°, subs., hf. mor., \$15. [4093]
- ***Goupil's Paris salon, 1897:** a review of the most remarkable paintings and sculptures exhibited in the Salons of the Champs-Elysées and Champ de Mars; text by Gaston Schefer; English tr. by H. Bacon. 9th year of English text ed., cont. over 100 il., incl. 98 Goupilgravures, 2 etchings, etc. N. Y., Jean Boussod, Manzi, Joyant & Co., 1897. im. 8°, cl., vellum ed., \$15; Holland ed., \$18; French text, vellum ed., \$12; Holland ed., \$15. [4094]
- Grant, Ulysses Simpson.** General Grant's letters to a friend, 1861-1880; with introd. and notes by Ja. Grant Wilson. N. Y., T. Y. Crowell & Co., 1897. c. 3-132 p. D. cl., \$1. [4095]
- Forty-eight letters and parts of letters addressed to the Hon. Elihu B. Washburne during a period of nineteen years. They begun with the first year of the war, and were continued uninterruptedly until after the close of Grant's second administration and his return from the extended tour around the world. The letters are of considerable historical value, being dated in many instances from such famous battlefields as Fort Donelson, Shiloh, Vicksburg, Chattanooga, and the Wilderness.
- Growoll, A.** American book clubs, their beginnings and history, and a bibliography of their publications. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., 1897. c. 14+423 p. D. hf. leath., ed. printed on Brown's handmade paper, limited to 300 copies, \$7.50; ed. on Japan pap., limited to 30 copies, \$15. [4096]
- In his introduction the author traces the publishing activity of the early American literary societies from the Junto down to the Delphians (1726-1825). Gives descriptions of thirty-eight clubs, beginning with the first known—The Seventy-Six Society (1854), and ending with the latest one—The Dibdin Club (1897). Appended to the description of each club is a bibliography of the publications of the club with accurately transcribed titles. All the information given has been revised and verified by the surviving members of extinct clubs or by the officers and chief members of existing clubs. Specially valuable are the facts relating to the character of the publications, which facts cover much of the political and social as well as the literary history of America. The complete bibliographies make the work valuable for collectors and for libraries. Full index.
- ***Guthrie, F. Anstey.** ["F. Anstey," pseud.] The tinted Venus. New ed.; il. by Bernard Partridge. N. Y., Harper, 1897. 12°, cl., \$1.50. [4097]
- Hale, Anne Gardner.** Folly's bells: a German legend; il. by Lillian Hale. Buffalo, N. Y., The Peter Paul Book Co., 1897. c. 6+52 p. il. D. cl., \$1. [4098]
- The prelude, or introduction, portrays the observance of Christmas Eve according to the custom of many Christian lands, where the ringing of the church bells in token of joy at the Saviour's birth is considered an important part of the ceremonies. This is here dwelt upon with emphasis in contrast to what follows in the poem, which tells the story of ancient Stavoren, one of the most flourishing cities of Europe in the twelfth century, where a beautiful and wealthy woman, high in authority, but frivolous and selfish, wrought much harm.
- Hamilton, M.** The freedom of Henry Meredyth. N. Y., Appleton, 1897. c. 2+287 p. D. (Appleton's town and country lib., no. 230.) cl., \$1; pap., 50 c. [4099]
- Henry Meredyth, the brother of an English earl, is divorced from his wife Evelyn, who has run away with a favored lover. Meredyth now finds himself very poor, as his divorced wife had all the money, and besides he is left with four children, the oldest of whom is Vivian, a girl of about fourteen years. This girl takes her mother's part without knowing exactly why. When her father, who has become keeper of a hotel in Ireland owned by his brother the earl, contemplates another marriage, the girl in a fit of indignation introduces the divorced mother who has been discarded by her lover, and succeeds in making much trouble, to no good purpose.
- Hansey, Jennie A., and Oliver, N. T., M.D.** The century cook-book and home physician. Special ed. Chic., Laird & Lee, [1897.] c. '94, '97. 11+353+14 blank pages, D. oil-cloth, 75 c. [4100]
- Published in paper in 1894. Has been revised and enlarged. Forty-eight half-tone illustrations have been added to the 250 text-pictures. The index to the book is specially good.
- Harding, J. W.** The strolling piper of Brittany. N. Y. and Chic., F. Tennyson Neely, [1897.] c. '97. 332 p. D. (Neely's continental lib., no. 3.) pap., 50 c. [4101]
- A romantic story of peasant life in Brittany, by the author of "A bachelor of Paris."
- Hatton, Jos.** When Greek meets Greek: a tale of love and war. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1898 [1897.] c. '95. 327 p. 1 il. D. (Lippincott's select novels, no. 199.) cl., \$1; pap., 50 c. [4102]
- See notice, "Weekly Record," P. W., March 7, 1896, [1258].
- Haverгал, Frances Ridley.** Wonderful gifts. N. Y., Wilbur B. Ketcham, 1897. 20 p. D. (Welcome ser.) pap., 15 c. [4103]
- ***Hendry, Hamish.** Red apple and silver bells: a book of verse for children of all ages; il. by Alice B. Woodward. N. Y., G. P. Putnam's Sons, 1897. 152 p. il. 12°, cl., \$1. [4104]
- ***Henty, G. A.** Cornet of horse: a story for boys. Phil., Patterson & White, 1897. 337 p. il. 12°, cl., \$1. [4105]
- Hérédia, José-María de.** Sonnets; done into English by E. Robeson Taylor. San Francisco, Cal., W. Doxey, 1897. c. 13+177 p. O. cl., \$2.50. [4106]
- The author of these sonnets, which are known in the original as "Les Trophées," is a Cuban by birth and a Frenchman by education. He was born in 1842, and is a member of the French Academy. The chief events of the ages are sung in these sonnets. They begin with Greece and Sicily, then Rome and the Barbarians, the Middle Age and the Renaissance, the Orient and the Tropics, the Sea of Brittany, and finish with a few desultory poems on nature and dreams. In this English version the form, including the rhyme arrangement, is rigidly followed.
- Hillis, Newell Dwight.** The investment of influence: a study of social sympathy and service. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1898 [1897.] c. '97. 6-299 p. D. cl., \$1.25. [4107]
- The great and far reaching force of personal influence or individual character is brought out in a series of essays by the author of "A man's value to society," "Foretokens of immortality," etc. The essays specially assert the debt of wealth to poverty, the debt of wisdom to ignorance, the debt of strength to weakness. The supremacy of heart over brain is the keynote of the author's theories.
- Hocking, Silas K.** Chips: a story of Manchester life; il. by J. Miller. N. Y., W. L. Allison Co., [1897.] 3-106 p. D. cl., 50 c. [4108]
- Published in London in 1881.
- Hocking, Silas K.** In spite of fate; il. by

- Florence Reason. N. Y., F. Warne & Co., [1897.] 5-408 p. D. cl., \$1.50. [4109]
Fate ordained that Mrs. Milward should perish on the moors while taking her children to a place of safety. The girl fell into good hands, the boy into the hands of gypsies. Fate further ordained that later the boy should be caught near a house the gypsies were robbing. He went to jail. In spite of all this he prospered, worked hard, discovered his sister, was the means of returning a child kidnapped by the gypsies to her father's house, traced the history of his mother's life, and seemed at the beginning of many happy days at the close of the story.
- *Holmes, R. Rivington. Queen Victoria. N. Y., The Century Co., 1897. c. 2+200 p. il. pors. pl. facsimile, f°, pap., subs., \$15. [4110]
- Horsman, Edith E. The two Altheas; il. by G. Demain Hammond. Bost., Estes & Lauriat, [1897.] c. 7+393 p. il. D. cl., \$1.50. [4111]
A story addressed to girls, specially intended to impress upon them the value of a good, happy home, and also the great share they may have in keeping the home what it should be. The two Altheas are mother and daughter.
- Horton, Rob. Forman, D.D. Success and failure. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., 1897. 3-96 p. S. (Little books on the conduct of life ser.) cl., 50 c. [4112]
"Success lies," says the author, "not in achieving what you aim at, but in aiming at what you ought to achieve, and pressing forward, sure of achievement here, or if not here hereafter." He also proves that many lives the unthinking count failures are true successes. The subject is handled from a deeply religious standpoint.
- Howard, Blanche Willis, [now Mrs. von Teuffel.] Seven on the highway. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1897. c. S. cl., \$1.25. [4113]
Seven stories: Marigold-Michel; No continuing city; Thalatta; Puss-in-boots; The youth that never smiled; The majesty of the law; All sails spread for Monkeyland. German in scenes and characters.
- Howe, M. A. De Wolfe. Shadows. [Poems.] Bost., Copeland & Day, 1897. c. 6+47 p. S. cl., \$1. [4114]
- Humphreys, Arthur L. The private library: what we do know, what we don't know, what we ought to know about our books. N. Y., J. W. Bouton, 1897. 5+162 p. O. cl., \$1.50. [4115]
Contents: What is a good edition?; What is a fine copy?; Book values; On the care of books; The art of reading; Commonplace books; Reference books; Boudoir libraries; Bookbinding; Book hobbies; Old country libraries; Weeding out; The catalogue; Classification of books; Bookcases; Miscellaneous appliances; The library annexe; A librarian; The library architecturally; Munificent bookbuying; The Medici and their friends; The dukes of Urbino; Pierese; Mr. Ruskin's advice. Index.
- *Hutchinson, Rev. H. N. Marriage customs in many lands. N. Y., Appleton, 1897. il. 8°, cl., \$4. [4116]
- *Hutchinson, Rob., M.D., and Rainy, Harry. Chemical methods: being an introduction to the practical study of medicine. Phil., Lea Bros. & Co., 1897. 562 p. il. 8°, cl., \$3. [4117]
- Ide, Mrs. C. W., ["Ruth Ogden," pseud.] Little Homespun; il. by Mabel Humphrey. N. Y., F. A. Stokes Co., [1897.] c. 5+127 p. il. D. cl., \$1.25. [4118]
Continues the story of "Courage," told in the book of that name, and her colored maid Sylvia. They go to Virginia to a cottage, which they name "Little Homespun," given "Courage" to be used as a summer home for poor children, taking a party of children with them. They meet a dear little southern boy there, who unconsciously brings about a crisis in "Courage's" love-story. Arlington is visited, and its historic memories related to the children.
- *Illinois. Supreme ct. Reports of cases, v. 167, cont. cases in which opinions were filed in April, May, and June, 1897, and cases in which rehearings were denied at the June and Oct. terms, 1897; I: Newton Phillips, rep. Springfield, I: Newton Phillips, 1897. c. 700 p. O. shp., \$2.25. [4119]
- *In green pastures: poems of cheer, faith, hope, and comfort. N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., 1897. 238 p. 16°, cl., \$1.25. [4120]
- *Inman, H. The old Sante Fé trail. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1897. 16+493 p. 8°, cl., \$3.50. [4121]
- *Irving, Washington. Complete works. New Knickerbocker ed. N. Y., G. P. Putnam's Sons, 1897. 40 v., il. 16°, cl., per set, \$50. [4122]
- Judah, Mary Jamesou. Down our way: stories of southern and western character. Chic., Way & Williams, [1897.] c. 3-266 p. D. cl., \$1.25. [4123]
Two of the stories have been published before. "A gentlewoman" appeared first in the *Arena*, under a different title. "An adventure of a Lady of Quality" was published in 1895, in the January issue of *Harper's Magazine*, a year before Mrs. Burnett's book with a similar title was announced. The titles of the others are: A visible sign; The end of society; A part of the New South; A conflict of rights; The morning star elopement; The wife of a carpenter; The blue blazers.
- Kimball, Hannah Parker. Victory and other verses. Bost., Copeland & Day, 1897. c. 10+76 p. D. cl., \$1.25. [4124]
Besides the poems of "Victory," "The daughter of Herodias" and "The Druidess," a number of short poems in revised form, originally printed in a small volume entitled "The cup of life," now out of print, are included under the heading "Songs new and old."
- King, C. The general's double: a story of the army of the Potomac; il. by J. Steeple Davis. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1898 [1897.] c. '97. 5-446 p. il. D. cl., \$1.25. [4125]
A young man left for dead on the field of Bull's Run determines to remain dead to his family, he having had much trouble with his father. He takes a new name, and finds some clothes belonging to General Belden, an honored Union officer. Through his resemblance to Belden he is enabled to help a Confederate officer to escape, and the consequences of this action occupy most of the story. Gives a fair picture of the conflicting interests of the Civil War.
- King, C. F. The picturesque geographical readers. Sixth book, Northern Europe; supplementary and regular reading in the lower classes in grammar schools, public libraries, and the home. Bost., Lee & Shepard, 1897. c. 8+353 p. il. map, D. cl., 60 c. [4126]
- *Kipling, Rudyard. The writings in prose and verse of Rudyard Kipling. "Outward bound" ed. In 12 v. Vs. 7-11. N. Y., C. Scribner's Sons, 1897. c. '95-'97. 10+341; 12+228; 6+329; 10+378; 17+359 p. por. il. 8°, cl., subs., per v., \$2; hf. levant, \$4. [4127]
Contents: V. 7, The jungle book; 8, The second jungle book; 9, The light that failed; 10, The naulahka; 11, Verses, 1889-1896.
- L., T. Falklands; by the author of "The life of a prig." N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1897. 13+193 p. por. O. cl., \$3.50. [4128]
- La Motte Fouqué, F. H. K: (Freiherr) de. Undine: a tale; tr. into English by Abby L. Alger. Bost., Ginn & Co., 1897. c. 10+106 p. D. (Classics for children.) bds., 30 c. [4129]
- *La Motte Fouqué, F. H. K: (Freiherr) de. Undine; from the French, by Edmund Gosse. Chic., A. C. McClurg & Co., 1897. il. 8°, cl., \$1.50. [4130]

***Lawyers' reports** annot., book 36. All current cases of general value and importance, with full annot.; Burdett A. Rich, ed., and H. P. Farnham, asst. Rochester, N. Y., The Lawyers' Co-op. Pub. Co., 1897. c. 915 p. O. shp., \$5. [4131]

Leeds, Virginia Miles. The daughter of a hundred millions. N. Y. and Chic., F. Tenyson Neely, 1897. c. 410 p. D. cl., \$1.25. [4132]

The beautiful and proud heiress to millions is betrothed to an English lord. She has reasons for believing his estates to be in a bad way, and that he has come to America for the sole purpose of buying a wealthy bride with his title. On his part he has been so long angled after by designing British maids and matrons that he quite despairs of having any one love the man who bears this illustrious name. When the fact is disclosed that each of them is, in reality, madly in love with the other, it is easy for the reader to realize the strong possibilities for dramatic scenes.

Lewis, J. H. How to buy life insurance; 2d ed. rev.: the essentials to be considered in selecting a company; policy restrictions and privileges of forty-two life insurance companies; digested and classified for ready comparison; tables showing dividends earned by thirty-two life insurance companies during the past ten years. Denver, Col., published by the author, J. H. Lewis, 1897. c. 8+230 p. D. cl., \$1.25; leath., 1.50. [4133]

Lindau, Rudolf, Stahr, Mme. A. W. T., ["Fanny Lewald," *pseud.*,] Eckstein, Ernst, [and others.] Masterpieces of German fiction; from the German. Chic., Laird & Lee, [1897.] c. '90. 678 p. D. (Library of choice fiction, no. 13.) pap., 50 c. [4134]

Contents: Hans the dreamer, All in vain, and First love, by Rudolf Lindau; The aristocratic world, by Fanny Lewald; The visit to the lockup, Against the stream, and The boarding-school girls, by Ernst Eckstein; The pilot captain, by Adolph Wilbrandt; L'Arrabiata, Beppe the star gazer, Maria Francisca, Trudel's ball, and The fortunes and the fate of little Spangle, by Paul Heyse.

***Little skipper (The).** N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., 1897. 48 p. il. 16°, (Dainty ser.) cl., 50 c. [4135]

***Longpré, Paul de.** Facsimiles of water-colors: eighteen reproductions of water-color paintings of flowers. N. Y., F. A. Stokes Co., 1897. 4°, cl., \$3.50. [4136]

***Lowe, J., M.D.** The yew trees of Great Britain and Ireland. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1897. 14+270 p. il. 8°, cl., \$4. [4137]

Lummis, C. Fletcher. The enchanted burro: stories of New Mexico and South America. Chic., Way & Williams, 1897. 7+277 p. D. cl., \$1.25. [4138]

Contents: The enchanted burro (New Mexico); The mummy-miner (Peru); A boy of the Andes (Peru); A daughter of the Misti (Peru); The witch deer (New Mexico); Felipe's sugaring-off (Peru); Andrés the Arriero (Bolivia); Our yellow slave; The peak of gold (New Mexico); Pablo's deer hunt (New Mexico); Candelaria's curse (New Mexico); The habit of the Fraile (Peru); The great magician; The Balsa Boy of Lake Titi-caca (Bolivia).

***Luxembourg illustrated library of standard fiction.** N. Y., T. Y. Crowell & Co., 1897. 12 v., il. 8°, ea., \$1.50. [4139]

***Macaulay, T. Babington (Lord.)** Lays of ancient Rome; ed. with introd. and notes by W. T. Webb. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1897. 24+107 p. 12°, (Macmillan's English classics.) cl., net, 40 c. [4140]

***McCarthy, Justin.** The story of Gladstone's life; frontispiece, pors., and other il. N.

Y., The Macmillan Co., 1897. 12+436 p. 8°, (Macmillan's English classics.) cl., \$6. [4141]

***McIntosh, W. Carmichael, M.D., and Masterman, Arthur T.** The life-histories of the British marine food-fishes; col. frontispiece and other il. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1897. 15+516 p. 8°, (Cambridge University Press ser.) cl., net, \$10. [4142]

***Maclaren, Rev. Alex.** The music of the soul: daily readings for a year from the writings of Rev. Alex. Maclaren. N. Y., A. C. Armstrong & Son, 1897. 12°, cl., \$1.50. [4143]

***Maddison, Isabel, comp.** Handbook of the courses open to women in British, continental, and Canadian universities; comp. for the Graduate Club of Bryn Mawr College. Supplement for 1897. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1897. 62 p. 8°, linen, net, 20 c. [4144]

Matheson, G., D.D. Sidelights from Patmos. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., 1897. 8+350 p. D. cl., \$1.75. [4145]

Twenty-one meditations rather than sermons upon the lessons taught by the Book of the Revelation of St. John the Divine. The one question the author wishes to consider is "whether St. John's ideal is still our ideal, and whether we should still accept his principles as those which should regulate the good time coming." Compares the revelations with modern ideas of optimism.

Means, D. Macgregor. Industrial freedom; with an introd. by D. A. Wells. N. Y., Appleton, 1897. c. 8+248 p. D. cl., \$1.50. [4146]

Mr. Means deals frankly and directly with questions which are now uppermost in the public mind. In a fair and candid manner he discusses the present relations of labor and capital, the efficacy of legislation in dealing with economics, the results of interference with the natural laws of trade, the advisability of restricting the accumulation of wealth, the rights and wrongs of corporations, and kindred topics.

Meston, Archibald J., comp. The common sources or main tap roots of 2:10 trotting and pacing speed: a practical study in heredity. Hambletonian 10, Rysdyk's complete. Pittsfield, Mass., published by the author, A. J. Meston, 1897. c. 32 p. obl. S. pap., 50 c. [4147]

***Meyer, Rev. F. Brotherton.** Paul: a servant of Jesus Christ. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1897. 203 p. 12°, cl., \$1. [4148]

Meyer, J. G. A. The elementary principles of machine design. N. Y., The Industrial Publishing Co., 1897. c. 2+92 p. il. D. (Industrial lib., no. 1.) pap., 25 c. [4149]

Embracing the proportions of connecting-rods, piston-rods, and pistons for steam-engines, cotter-joints, screw-wrenches, etc.; with full instructions for setting a plain slide valve and eccentric; also practical and explanatory hints for making all the necessary calculations and working drawings.

***Minnesota. Supreme ct.** Reports, v. 65, June 2, 1896-July 17, 1896; H. B. Wenzell, rep. St. Paul, West Pub. Co., 1897. c. 23+599 p. O. shp., \$2.75. [4150]

Molesworth, Mrs. Marie Louise, ["Ennis Graham," *pseud.*] Meg Langholme; or, the day after to-morrow; 8 il. by W. Rainey. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1897. 299 p. il. D. cl., \$1.25. [4151]

Meg Langholme's life is told from the time she is a tiny child and meets her future husband in her father's pleasant English home until she is married. An eccentric will, of which one of the provisions is that she shall marry Arthur Gladwyn before he is thirty, causes

her to be the victim of unscrupulous people, who carry her off and hide her, making much unhappiness to every one for a while.

Mondan, Georgianna, comp. German selections for sight translation. Bost., D. C. Heath & Co., 1897. c. 4+44 p. D. (Heath's modern language ser.) pap., 15 c. [4152]

***Morgan, Sir G. Campbell.** Discipleship. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1897. 142 p. 16°, cl., 50 c. [4153]

***Morris, E. E.** Austral-English: a dictionary of Australasian words, phrases, and usages, with those Aboriginal-Australian and Maori words which have become incorporated in the language, and the commoner scientific words that have had their origin in Australasia. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1897. 21+525 p. 8°, cl., net, \$3.75. [4154]

***Mother Goose nursery tales.** *New complete ed.* N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., 1897. 207 p. il. 4°, cl., \$2.50. [4155]

Murray, Rev. Andrew. The spiritual life: a series of lectures delivered before the students of the Moody Bible Institute, Chicago. Phil., G. W. Jacobs & Co., 1897. c. '95. 4+243 p. por. D. cl., 50 c. [4156]

Murray, W. W. Handbook for teachers: a course in manual training for grammar schools. Rochester, Scrantom, Wetmore & Co., [1897.] c. 70 p. sq. D. flex. cl., net, 60 c. [4157]

Suggestions for selecting and using materials and tools necessary in the present method of manual training. No attempt is made to teach proficiency in the use of tools, the author contending that this can only be acquired by personal experience and through a course of instruction. In the choosing of working models the boy's personal taste is considered and aim is made to include designs which will be of practical use in the teaching of geometry.

***Neally, Amy.** Baby's record: a record of a baby's life. N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., 1897. 64 p. il. sq. 12°, cl., \$3.75. [4158]

***Neally, Amy, comp.** Christmas poems; selected from many sources. N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., 1897. 97 p. il. 16°, cl., \$1. [4159]

***Neally, Amy, comp.** Poems of love. *New enl. ed.* N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., 1897. 235 p. il. 16°, cl., \$1.25. [4160]

***New Jersey.** An act concerning corporations (revision of 1896), taking effect July 4, 1896, in the state, with the supplements passed in 1897, and other general acts relating to corporations, together with abstracts of the decisions of the courts, and a full collection of forms. *10th ed.*, by W. H. Corbin. Newark, Loney & Sage, 1897. c. 13+169 p. O. pap., \$1. [4161]

***New York. Supreme ct.** Reports of cases, in the appellate division; Marcus T. Hun, rep. Vs. 18 and 19, [May-July.] 1897. [Off. ed.] N. Y. and Alb., Banks & Bros., [1897.] c. 32+702; 27+705 p. O. shp., ea., net, \$3. [4162]

Nichols, C. W. A government class-book of the state of Michigan. Syracuse, N. Y., C. W. Bardeen, 1897. 6-308 p. S. (Standard teachers' lib.) cl., \$1. [4163]

A description of the state government of Michigan for schools; each chapter is followed by questions; the second half is devoted to an account of the United States government.

Nicholson, W. An almanac of twelve sports; words by Rudyard Kipling. *Popular ed.*

N. Y., R. H. Russell, 1898 [1897.] unp. il. Q. bds., \$1.25. *Library ed.*, \$3.50. [4164]

Twelve full page colored plates depicting a sport appropriate for each month of the year. Preceded by a calendar for 1898. Rudyard Kipling furnishes a verse for each plate.

Nicoll, Rev. W. Robertson. The return to the cross. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., 1897. 4-320 p. D. cl., \$1.50. [4165]

Addresses, sermons, and essays, by the editor of "The expositor's Bible," all tending to enforce the necessity of simplicity and truth in the religious and social life. Among the more important chapters are The wisdom of God is a mystery; The casting away of theology; The backwater of life; The theology of Walter Pater, etc.

Nicoll, Rev. W. Robertson, ed. Expositor's Greek Testament; ed. by Rev. W. Robertson Nicoll. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., 1897. c. 8+872 p. O. cl., \$7.50. [4166]

The separate portions of the Testament have been committed to various scholars, and it is hoped the Commentary will be completed in five years. The commentators belong to various churches and have been given full liberty to express their own views. This volume contains "The synoptic gospels" (Matthew, Mark, and Luke), by Alexander Bain Bruce, Professor of Apologetics in the Free Church College, Glasgow; and "The gospel of St. John," by Rev. Marcus Dods, Professor of Exegetical Theology, New College, Edinburgh. The part of the editor is to choose the writers and to assign the limits of space for each book.

Nordau, Max Simon. The shackles of fate: a play in five acts. N. Y. and Chic., F. Tennyson Neely, [1897.] c. 199 p. por. S. (Neely's prismatic lib.) buckram, 50 c. [4167]

Fritz Sickart, a young, ambitious attorney, the son of a coachman and a cook, goes to Berlin to make his fortune. He cannot get in with the right set while his mother rules his home, so he puts her away. When he is about to marry a girl confides to Fritz's mother that her little son is also Fritz's child. The old woman is honest and blocks her son's plans. After Fritz has learned the true value of things he leaves his ambitious dreams and takes his mother and the mother of his child to another land. A study of woman's devotion by the author of "Degeneration."

***Nursery rhymes; set to music by Jos. Moore; il. by Paul Woodroffe; with a preface by Theo. Marzial's.** N. Y., F. A. Stokes Co., 1897. 4°, cl., \$2. [4168]

***Oliphant, Mrs. M. O. W.** Annals of a publishing house: William Blackwood and his sons, their magazine and friends. N. Y., C: Scribner's Sons, 1897. 2 v., 16+522; 10+514 p. pors. 8°, cl., \$10.50. [4169]

Olmstead, Dwight Hinckley. The Protestant faith; or, salvation by belief. *3d ed.*, with an introduction on the limitations of thought. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, 1897. c. '85, '97. 5+79 p. O. cl., 75 c. [4170]

Owen, Mary Alicia, comp. Ole Rabbit's plantation stories as told among the negroes of the southwest; collected from original sources; introd. by C: Godfrey Leland, il. by Juliette A. Owen and L: Wain. [New issue.] Phil., G: W. Jacobs & Co., 1898 [1897.] c. '93. 15+310 p. O. cl., \$1.25. [4171]

Formerly published by G: P. Putnam's Sons, under the title "Voodoo tales." See notice, "Weekly Record," P. W., April 8, 1893, [1106.]

Page, Mrs. Jean Hooper. Through field and fallow. N. Y. and Chic., F. Tennyson Neely, [1897.] c. 6-155 p. il. D. cl., \$1. [4172]

A collection of short poems that have appeared in the periodicals.

Page, T. Nelson. Social life in old Virginia before the war; il. by the Misses Cowles.

- N. Y., C: Scribner's Sons, 1897. c. 5+109 p. O. cl., \$1.50. [4173]
To partly correct the erroneous idea of the old south created through the works of northern writers, especially Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, and through the writers of plays, Mr. Page has written this little essay. It gives a delightful picture of a busy, useful, happy, hospitable life, in which servants shared as well as every member of the family, old or young.
- Paget, Stephen.** Ambroise Paré and his times, 1510-1590. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, 1897. c. 9+309 p. il. O. cl., \$2.50. [4174]
Ambroise Paré, the great French surgeon, was born in 1510 when Louis XII. was king of France and Henry VIII. was king of England, and lived eighty years, dying in 1590 when Henri IV. was king of France and Queen Elizabeth's soldiers had destroyed the Armada. Among his contemporaries were Ignatius Loyola and Saint Theresa, Luther, Erasmus, Calvin, Knox, Shakespeare, Rabelais, Raphael, Titian, etc. He practised in Paris for fifty years and was army surgeon for thirty-two years. These years he has described in "Journeys in diverse places," included in the volume. Illustrated with pictures of historic interest.
- Paget, Stephen.** John Hunter, man of science and surgeon, (1728-1793.) N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1897. 3-272 p. por. D. (Masters of medicine ser., no. 1, ed. by Ernest Hart.) cl., \$1.25. [4175]
- Palmer, J. H.** The invasion of New York; or, how Hawaii was annexed. N. Y. and Chic., F. Tennyson Neely, 1897. c. 248 p. D. (Neely's popular lib., no. 106.) cl., \$1; pap., 50 c. [4176]
With prophetic vision the writer has seen what would be the probable early moves upon the chess-board of war, should hostilities open between our own country and those of Spain and Japan; and while weaving a romance he takes occasion to point out the weakness of our defences both on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts.
- Palmer, Lucia A., [Mrs. H. R. Palmer.]** Oriental days. N. Y., Baker & Taylor Co., [1897.] c. 252 p. il. O. cl., \$2. [4177]
The author describes travels in Egypt and the Holy Land. Under "Egyptian days" she treats of Through the Delta, Napoleon in Egypt, The English in Egypt, Schools and the University of Cairo, The Mamelukes, The going out of Pilgrims, The desert and desert stories, The ancient dead and their monuments, Palm groves, The Suez Canal and Isma'iliya. Under "Days in the Holy Land": The mountains round about Jerusalem, The camping ground of Joshua, The bitter waters of the Dead Sea, An oriental wedding, The destruction of Jerusalem by Titus, The Turkish Empire, The Sultan, Holy places, Holy wars, and the Prophet's green banner.
- Peake, A. S.** A guide to biblical study, with an introd. by A. M. Fairbairn, D.D. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., 1897. 20+224 p. D. cl., \$1.50. [4178]
The book aims to sum up the present state of knowledge touching the origin, authorship, authenticity, and contents of the sacred books. It indicates the methods that should be employed by those who wish to make a systematic study of the Bible. The subject is divided into Introduction, dealing with the literary history of the several books; Exegesis, concerning the interpretation of the books; History, embracing the political and social history of the times; and Theology, embracing the history of the religion, the theology of individual writers, and the history of particular doctrines. A chapter on books relating to the subject covers 24 pages. Bibliographical appendix 6 pages. No index.
- Peloubet, F. N., D.D., and M. A.** Select notes: a commentary on the International lessons for 1898: inductive, suggestive, explanatory, illustrative, doctrinal, and practical: studies in Matthew and in the history of the Divided Kingdom. 24th annual volume. Bost., W: A. Wilde & Co., 1897. c. 343 p. maps, il. O. cl., \$1.25. [4179]
- Pierson, Ernest de Lancey.** An uncle from India (A bargain in souls): an impossible story. Chic., Laird & Lee, [1897.] c. '91, '97. 7-264 p. 1 il. D. (Pastime ser., no. 57.) pap., 25 c. [4180]
First published, 1892, by Laird & Lee, in "Library of choice fiction series," under the title "A bargain in souls." See notice, "Weekly Record," P. W., February 27, 1892, [1048.]
- *Porter, Horace.** Campaigning with Grant. N. Y., The Century Co., 1897. il. por. maps, 8°, cl., subs., \$3.50; shp., \$6; hf. mor., \$7. [4181]
- Potter, G. S.** The founders of Rome. Buffalo, N. Y., The Peter Paul Book Co., 1897. c. 6+28 p. D. bds., 25 c. [4182]
A sketch setting forth clearly and concisely the most important questions relating to the founding of Rome, particularly as they appear in the light of recent investigations.
- Power, D'Arcy.** William Harvey. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1897. c. 6+283 p. por. D. cl., \$1.25. [4183]
- *Prescott, W: H.** Works. *Illustrated cabinet ed.* N. Y., Merrill & Baker, 1897. 16 v., il. 12°, cl., per v., \$1.50. [4184]
- *Quigley, Dorothy.** The way to keep young. N. Y. E. P. Dutton & Co., 1897. 92 p. 16°, cl., 75 c. [4185]
- Quint, Alonzo Hall, D.D.** Common-sense Christianity: being many of *The Congregationalist* articles of Alonzo Hall Quint, D.D.: selected and arr. by Wilder D. Quint. Bost., Cong. S. S. and Pub. Soc., [The Pilgrim Press,] [1897.] c. 4+229 p. por. O. cl., \$1.50. [4186]
For many years the fortnightly articles by Dr. Quint have been one of the attractive features of *The Congregationalist*. A number of them are here gathered together under the headings "Church and Pulpit," "The law and the gospel," "Home and the family," and "Lessons from life."
- *Rabelais, François.** Works; tr. by Sir T: Urquhart and P: Motteux, with the notes of Duchat, Ozell, and others; introd. and revision by Alfred Wallis. *New ed.* Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1897. 5 v., 16°, cl., \$5; hf. cf. or hf. mor., \$12.50. [4187]
- Rea, G: Bronson.** Facts and fakes about Cuba: a review of the various stories circulated in the United States concerning the present insurrection; il. by W: De la M. Cary, from photographs taken by the author. N. Y., G: Munro's Sons, [1897.] c. 19+336 p. D. cl., \$1. [4188]
Two-thirds of the stories circulated during the past couple of years by the American press concerning the condition of Cuba are declared by Mr. Rea, field correspondent of the *New York Herald*, after careful investigation to be untrue. Some of them were purposely reported by the insurgents, others made up in newspaper offices. Mr. Rea was with Gomez and Maceo, and had unusual opportunities for getting at the truth. He reviews and explodes many "leading fakes."
- Reinhardt, C: W.** Lettering for draftsmen, engineers, and students: a practical system of freehand lettering for working drawings. *New rev. ed.* N. Y., D. Van Nostrand Co., 1897. c. '95, '97. 32 p. 9 pl. obl. D. bds., \$1. [4189]
This third revised edition has a new chapter on "Lettering for photo-reproduction."
- Ribblesdale, — (Lord.)** The queen's hounds and stag-hunting recollections; with an introd. on the hereditary mastership, by E: Burrows; comp. from the Brocas papers in his possession. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1897. 16+315 p. O. cl., \$8. [4190]
- Richards, Mrs. Laura Eliz.** Hildegard's

harvest. Bost., Estes & Lauriat, 1897. c. 4-300 p. il. D. cl., \$1.25. [4191]

The fifth volume in the Hildegard series, containing the story of Hildegard Grahame, which ends with a happy love-affair.

Riddle, W: Nicholas Comenius; or, ye Pennsylvania schoolmaster of ye olden time. Lancaster, Pa., printed for the author, W. Riddle, by Wickersham Printing Co., 1897. c. 21+469 p. por. D. cl., \$1.50. [4192]

Nicholas Comenius was an old schoolmaster in the early days of the public school system. Largely from his own lips this story of the big-hearted, broad-minded pioneer of the early days of education is taken. Shows how he was crowded out by a younger generation and shows the disadvantages of the old and the advantages of the new systems and *vice-versa* in a fair, unprejudiced way.

Robert, Jos. T. A parliamentary syllabus: twenty-four progressive lessons in parliamentary practice for high schools, colleges, literary clubs, etc. Chic., Scott, Foresman & Co., 1897. c. 2-62 p. O. buckram, 50 c. [4193]

Rollins, Clara Sherwood. Threads of life. Bost., Lamson, Wolfe & Co., 1897. c. 2+204 p. S. cl., \$1. [4194]

The author of "A Burne-Jones head and other sketches" has here written the heart-histories of two women of unusual natural ability and of wide culture. In conversations sparkling with wit, sarcasm, and quotation they discuss all the problems of the hour, notably the nature of men and women and their privileges, rights, and duties. One of the women is twenty-seven and unmarried, the other thirty-eight, a widow and a grandmother.

Rossetti, Dante Gabriel. The white ship: a little book of poems; selected from the works of Dante Gabriel Rossetti. Bost., Mass., W. G. Colesworthy, 1896 [1897.] 2-95 p. O. bds., net, \$1. [Ed. limited to 450 copies] [4195]

Contents: The white ship; The blessed damozel; Eden bower; Sister Helen; Chimes; Soothsay; A little while; Love's nocturn; Troy Town; The burden of Nineveh; The song of the bower; Jenny; Stratton water; The stream's secret; The card dealer; My sister's sleep. These poems are among the rarest and best that Rossetti ever wrote. The volume is printed on handmade paper from new italic type. Bound in board covers with white back and blue sides.

Runk, E: Johnson. Washington: a national epic in six cantos. N. Y., G. P. Putnam's Sons, 1897. c. 11+169 p. D. cl., \$1.25. [4196]

This poem has its scene in the Hudson Highlands during the American Revolution—Washington being the chief figure.

***Ruskin, J:** Works. *Illustrated cabinet ed.* N. Y., Merrill & Baker, 1897. 26 v., il. 12° cl., per v., \$1.50. [4197]

***Ruskin, J:** Works. *New popular ed.* N. Y., American Publishers Corporation, 1897. 26 v., il. 12°, per set, \$26. [4198]

***Sargant, Alice.** Brownie, a play for children; music by Lilian Mackenzie, il. by Alice B. Woodward. N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., 1897. 64 p. f°, pap., ribbon-tied, \$2.50. [4199]

***Scott, Mrs. Mary Monica Maxwell.** The making of Abbotsford; with photogravure frontispiece and vignette of Abbotsford. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1897. 374 p. sq. 8°, cl., \$3.50. [4200]

***Shakespeare, W:** Complete works. *Handy Stratford ed.* Phil., D. McKay, 1897. 13 v., 16°, cl., \$6; leath., \$12; seal, \$15. [4201]

Shakespeare, W: The tragedy of Hamlet, Prince of Denmark; il. by H. C. Christy.

N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., 1897. c. 234 p. O. cl., \$2; *large-pap. ed.*, net, \$5. [4202]

A new illustrated edition, issued uniform with "She stoops to conquer," "Becket," etc. The *large-pap. ed.* has the full-page plates on satin.

***Sheridan, R:** Brinsley. The critic; or, a tragedy rehearsed; ed. with preface and notes by G. A. Aitken. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1897. Tt. (Temple dramatists.) cl., 45 c.; mor., 65 c. [4203]

Shorter, Clement K. Victorian literature: sixty years of books and bookmen. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., 1897. c. 3+231 p. D. cl., \$1.50. [4204]

The volume is bibliographical, not critical. It aims to furnish the young student in handy form with as large a number of facts about books as can be concentrated in so small a volume. This is done in the form of consecutive narrative, to which the key is a full alphabetical index. Living poets and novelists have almost all been omitted. The order of arrangement is the poets, the novelists, the historians, and the critics. One of the books prepared in celebration of the Queen's Jubilee.

Shuey, Lillian Hinman. Don Luis' wife: a romance of the West Indies; from her letters, and the manuscripts of the padre, the Doctor Caccavelli, Marè Aurèle, Curate of Samana. Bost., Lamson, Wolfe & Co., 1897. c. 7+235 p. D. cl., \$1.50. [4205]

Contains the true account of the experiences and adventures of a New England girl as the wife of a gentleman of fortune on the island of San Domingo. It illustrates some of the entanglements of the fate of an American woman who marries a foreigner, especially one of rank and fortune. The story is supposed to have been confided to a Catholic priest.

Sienkiewicz, H: Hania; from the Polish, by Jeremiah Curtin. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., 1897. c. 2+551 p. il. D. cl., \$2. [4206]

Short stories, entitled: Prologue to Hania; the old servant; Hania; Tartar captivity; Let us follow him; Be thou blessed; At the source; Charcoal sketches; The organist of Ponikia; Lux in tenebris lucet; On the bright shore; That third woman.

Sienkiewicz, H: Let us follow him; from the Polish, by Jeremiah Curtin. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., 1897. c. 5+91 p. 1 il. S. cl., 50 c. [4207]

This story is included in the author's new volume entitled "Hania." It is published separately because special interest attaches to it since it gave the author the first idea of writing "Quo Vadis." Antea, the wife of a Roman patrician ill with terrible visions, is advised to seek the air of Jerusalem. There she meets Pilate and learns the story of Jesus and His condemnation to death, and later she is present at the Crucifixion.

Snider, Denton Jaques. Goethe's Faust: a commentary. *New rev. ed.* St. Louis, Mo., Sigma Publishing Co., [1897.] c. '86. 2 v., 93+407; 82+426 p. O. cl., ea., \$2. [4208]

***Sophocles.** The text of the seven plays; ed. with an introd. by R. C. Jebb. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1897. 14+364 p. 8°. (Cambridge University Press ser.) cl., net, \$1.40. [4209]

***Southwestern reporter**, v. 41. *Permanent ed.* July 5-Oct. 11, 1897. St. Paul, West Pub. Co., 1897. c. 13+1178 p. O. (National reporter system, state ser.) shp., \$4. [4210]

Contains all the current decisions of the supreme courts of Mo., Ark., and Tenn., court of appeals of Ky., supreme court, court of criminal appeals, and courts of civil appeals of Tex., and court of appeals of I. T. With tables of southwestern cases published in v. 62, Ark. reports; 97, 98, Ky. reports; 135, 136, Mo. reports. A table of statutes construed is given in the index.

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"I hold every man a debtor to his profession, from the which, as men do of course seek to receive countenance and profit, so ought they of duty to endeavor themselves by way of amends to be a help and an ornament thereunto."—LORD BACON.

THE PROSPECTS OF THE PROVIDENT ASSOCIATION.

THE large and earnest meeting of upwards of a hundred members of the Booksellers' and Stationers' Provident Association, at Gramercy Lyceum, on the evening of the 8th inst., gives a more hopeful outlook for the future of the society. The report prepared by the officers, and read by the President at the meeting, made a good impression, and the fact that it was accepted without a dissenting vote would indicate that the statement made was regarded as satisfactory by a fair representation of the members of the association.

Especially encouraging was the unanimous expression of feeling in favor of keeping the association alive, and of meeting the present obligations as a matter of honor if not of duty. It also speaks well for the independence of the membership as a whole that the proposition to solicit, as charity, contributions from the publishing houses was generally discountenanced. However welcome additions to the fund of the association would be at this time if made spontaneously, to go begging at this juncture might affect the reputation of the association more seriously for all time than the temporary

relief possibly procurable by such means could offset.

The Committee of Ways and Means appointed (whose preliminary report should by this time be in the hands of members) is composed almost entirely of well-known business men, whose knowledge of commercial affairs and whose standing in the trade seem to fit them peculiarly for the duties before them. That they will deal impartially and for the best interests of every member of the association may be taken for granted. The task which will confront the committee immediately is how to collect the assessments now outstanding without imposing too much hardship upon those who can ill afford to spare so large an amount at once, and at the same time without endangering their membership in the event of their inability to pay within the time-limit. There seems little doubt that a practicable way out of this difficulty will be found. The main task of the committee, however, will be to prepare a plan that will insure the existence of the association after the present crisis has been overcome. Every one now recognizes that the plan on which the association has thus far been conducted, while it is the simplest, is also one fraught with great danger. There are already a number of propositions before the committee, and it is to be hoped that before long a plan can be matured that will commend itself to the association as a body and secure its prosperous continuance. The association has done much good in the past and has earned its right to continue, and it seems to have a good chance to continue, if the members will but have patience and if they are willing to make some sacrifices in the present emergency.

A PARAGRAPH appeared, rather by inadvertence, in one of our news departments recently, which suggested that an author who achieves a position in a great library has then an opportunity for giving himself more fully to authorship. So far as this implies that the modern librarian has leisure for literary work, nothing could be further from the truth. It is due to the profession of librarianship to make the *amende honorable* in this respect. When librarians, as in the case of Dr. Winsor, Mr. Larned, and others, contribute to the world of letters, as these gentlemen, in particular, have done, it is by working a little harder than most other people, and so compelling a leisure which certainly does not belong to the profession as such. Librarians are to-day one of the most hard-working set of people that this busy country knows, and it is the more creditable to them when they are able to add the avocation of an author, to apply Dr. Hale's distinction, to the vocation of a librarian.

THE BOOKSELLERS' AND STATIONERS' PROVIDENT ASSOCIATION.

THE special meeting of the Booksellers' and Stationers' Provident Association, called at the Gramercy Lyceum, New York, on the evening of the 8th inst., was attended by upwards of 100 members. Before the meeting of the association the Board of Trustees met to consider the report prepared by a committee of the Board. The report was adopted and read at the meeting by the President.

Shortly after eight o'clock the President of the association, Charles F. Dillingham, called the members to order, and after briefly explaining the object of the meeting, read the following report, adopted at the meeting of the Board of Trustees:

In response to an evident desire on the part of many of our members that a special meeting of the association be called, our President decided to call one for to-night in order that all interested might have an opportunity to learn the present condition of the organization, and especially why the assessments of November 11 and 30 were necessary.

It should be borne in mind that this association is a co-operative association, and can pay death losses just as long as the assessments are paid, and no longer, as the membership has not increased to the full limit of 1500, so that, while paying \$1000 on each death, a large reserve might be accumulated.

The great danger to this and other assessment associations is the likelihood of a great or unusual number of deaths from an epidemic or other causes, occurring in any one year. During the spring and summer of this year there appeared no reason to expect that there would be more deaths this year than in any past year. But at the October meeting of the Board it was found that there had been seventeen deaths, of which ten were proven and unprovided for. A special committee was appointed to take the matter under consideration and to devise, if possible, some method of proceeding that would relieve the situation and avoid the necessity of making assessments that might be a burden on the members. This committee reported that, under our constitution, there was no action the Board of Trustees could legally take, other than to assess for all deaths of which legal proof had been received, and the Board was informed by counsel that it was their imperative duty to so assess, and moreover, that they must assess on any other deaths that might be afterwards proven as soon as proof should be received. Accordingly the assessments of November 11 and November 30 were made.

The following facts will show the progress and workings of the association, as reported from time to time at the annual meetings, and our present condition:

Early in 1879 a number of men interested in the book and stationery business considered a plan for the formation of a benevolent association through which the widow or friend of a deceased member should receive a sum sufficient to pay funeral expenses, etc. The plan met with approval, and finally in June, 1879, an organization was formed, each member agreeing to pay \$1.10 every time a member died, \$1 of which was to go to the death fund, and ten cents to the contingent fund, the \$1 from each

member to be paid to the beneficiary of the deceased member.

The first payment was \$198; the membership increased, and as it increased the payments became larger, until \$1000 was paid to each beneficiary. Up to October 27, 1897, 149 assessments had been levied, so that a member who was one of the first to join the association has paid in \$163.90 in the eighteen and one-half years of our existence, during which time he has had all the benefits of the association.

The association up to November 9, 1897, has paid out to beneficiaries \$140,043.

At the annual meeting held in June the balance on hand was \$3,585.41

Divided as follows:

Death fund	\$ 165.00
Contingent fund	304.78
Reserve	3,115.63
Received from new members	4.20
" " certificates	1.00
" " assessments	8,719.00

Making a total of \$12,309.61

We have paid out:

Printing, postage, legal advice, and expense of collecting assessments	792.51
Three death claims from reserve fund	3,000.00
Seven death claims from death fund	6,931.00

Making a total \$10,723.51

Which leaves a balance of 1,586.10

Which is divided as follows:

Death fund	1,164.00
Reserve fund	115.63
Contingent fund	306.47

Of the balance in death fund \$770 is for the beneficiaries of assessments 150 to 159 inclusive, and \$160 for beneficiaries of assessments 160 to 167 inclusive.

As a supplement to this report the Board desires to answer a few of the questions which have been asked by members during the last few weeks, thinking that a little time may be thereby saved; after this the meeting will open for discussion of these questions and of such others as may come up.

First—As to salaries and expenses: no officer of the association has ever received any salary or other emolument whatsoever, the secretary only receiving enough to pay the actual expenses of postage, printing, and collecting assessments, etc., which amount to about \$1000 per year. Every cent above this sum which the association has received has been paid to beneficiaries of members.

Second—As to the thoroughness of our medical examination: Our death-rate has always been below the average calculated upon by the insurance companies. Our examiner is a physician of the highest standing.

Third—As to death claims: every claim is thoroughly examined. We require the certificate of the claimant, physician, and undertaker, all properly sworn to; these papers are carefully examined by our claim committee and the matter thoroughly investigated before a claim is passed upon.

Fourth—The question has been asked, Why so many members were dropped on assessments 148 and 149. This can be easily answered—the members dropped had failed to pay their assessments when due. When previous assessments expired, members of the Board have occasionally advanced money for the delinquent members, thus holding the membership

up to the highest limit possible. The sum thus advanced in the past has reached a large amount, and there are still due individual trustees considerable amounts, a large portion of which will never be collected. In view of the heavy assessments which were to be sent out, the trustees felt that they could not advance money to hold good the membership, and as the members did not pay there was nothing, under the Constitution, for the Board to do but drop them from the roll.

Fifth—Several resignations have been received by us. A resignation cannot be accepted while an assessment duly levied remains unpaid. If a member pays the assessments now in course of collection he has a perfect right to resign, but cannot until the obligation is paid. At the expiration of the assessment sent out on Nov. 11, all members who have not paid are dropped from membership, but their liability for the amount of all assessments now outstanding remains the same.

Sixth—Reinsurance: we have had several overtures from various companies asking us to consider a plan for the reinsuring of our present members, but no company will take into consideration the payment of the nineteen claims we have on hand. Therefore we do not feel at liberty to consider such propositions until the present assessments levied have been paid and the outstanding death-claims satisfied. Moreover, we do not understand that any company offers to the members of the association as a whole any better terms than each individual member could obtain; the matter would thus seem to be one for each member to consider for himself.

The chairman after reading the report stated that the officers of the association were not prepared at this meeting to submit plans, as they desired rather to have the collective sense of the meeting than to offer individual opinion.

The report when put to a vote was unanimously accepted—applause following the vote. This action of the meeting was in the nature of a vote of confidence, and the chairman therefore very properly refused to entertain a motion which expressly stated that the association had all confidence in the officers and in the Board of Trustees.

The result of the evening's session, which was naturally attended with much talk, more or less to the point, was the adoption of two resolutions, and the appointment of a Committee of Ways and Means, consisting of Charles Wildermann, publisher, 11 Barclay Street, New York; Jas. S. Packard, of the firm of Bulkley, Dunton & Co.; John A. Offord, 156 Fifth Avenue, John C. Loy, of Bowers & Loy, and E. R. Pelton.

The first resolution, proposed by Mr. Wildermann, was to appoint a Committee of Ways and Means, to investigate the books and funds of the association, and to devise ways and means for continuing the association or for reinsuring the association as a whole.

The second resolution, also proposed by Mr. Wildermann, was that the Committee of Ways and Means be empowered to accept loans to help pay the assessments of such members who may, for the moment, be unable to pay, but who may declare their willingness to remain members of the association and to repay the loans. Mr. Wildermann promptly subscribed \$100; Mr. Montgomery \$11, and others expressed their intention of adding to these amounts.

The committee began work directly after the meeting adjourned, and will very likely be able to issue a call for another general meeting before the 25th inst., at which to make a report and to propose a plan for continuing the association.* And there seems now no doubt that the association will be kept alive, and will meet its present obligations. Though many of the remarks were wide of the question before the association, every speaker expressed his desire to keep the association in existence. Especially strong were the appeals to the members to consider their obligations as a debt of honor and to meet them at the earliest possible moment. No less strong were the denunciations of the indelicate overtures of those pretending to represent "old line" insurance companies. It appeared on investigation that two of the signers of the circular stating that "at an informal meeting of a number of the members of the association" they had been "constituted a committee," had not been members of the Provident Association for some time. It was also brought out that re-insurance would not exempt any one from a medical examination, or entitle him to lower rates than the companies charge their other clients.

Many members seemed solicitous whether in case they were unable to pay their assessments in time they would forfeit their membership. It is confidently expected that the Committee of Ways and Means will be able to devise measures by which any member who desires to remain in the association will be assured against being definitely stricken from the list.

PROTEST AGAINST A GOVERNMENT ADVERTISING SCHEME.

THE AMERICAN TRADE PRESS ASSOCIATION held on the 3d inst. a meeting at the rooms of the New York Merchants' Association to protest against the action of the Bureau of American Republics in soliciting advertisements from manufacturers and using the franking privilege in canvassing for this business and circulating the publications containing such advertisements. The meeting was attended by representatives of about forty publications.

Charles T. Root, of *The Dry Goods Economist*, was chairman, and in opening the meeting he said that it was called to refute the statement emanating from the Bureau of American Republics that no formal protests against the bureau's course had come from the trade papers. Protests from seventy such papers scattered all over the country were read by C. L. Seeger. E. C. Brown, of *The Progressive Age*, spoke of the unfairness of a Government bureau, which got its paper, composition, presswork, ink, and binding free, and which paid no postage, entering into competition with private publishers. De B. Wilmot presented the legal side of the case, urging that the practices complained of were clearly unconstitutional and could probably be stopped by appeal to the courts.

The meeting unanimously adopted, as the official expression of its views, a long preamble characterizing the action of the Bureau of American Republics as a "most flagrant in-

* As we go to press there reaches us a circular, issued by the Committee, dated December 11, in which the members who have not yet paid the first assessment are called upon to pay an instalment by the 13th inst. In the circular the Committee emphasizes the facts given in the above report, and takes a most optimistic view of the future of the Association.

stance in which the Federal Government has entered upon commercial business in competition with private citizens, which is unequal and unfair to private enterprise," denouncing the bureau's effort to vouch for the standing and responsibility of its advertisers as unjust discrimination against those firms not represented in its publications, and closing with the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the course and practice of the Bureau of American Republics involves invasion of the rights of citizens and an unwarrantable use of the public money, and that it is in derogation of the dignity of the Government and of the people of the United States.

Resolved, That the Secretary of State be, and hereby is, respectfully requested to order the immediate discontinuance of the solicitation or acceptance of paid advertisements for insertion in the publications of the Bureau of American Republics, or of any other bureau within his control.

The question of going to the courts for redress was discussed, but it was finally determined to try Congress first if Secretary Sherman fails to act, and Charles T. Root, E. C. Brown, and R. W. Rothwell were constituted a committee for that purpose. On the day before the Chamber of Commerce held a meeting to denounce the scheme of the Bureau of American Republics.

THE ASHBURNHAM MSS.

ACCORDING to Bernard Quaritch, Lord Ashburnham, at the time of his death, possessed nearly 4000 manuscripts, all of significant interest and importance, including as they did rare palæographical examples, early uncollated texts, unpublished historical documents, and specimens of the best schools of mediæval illuminated art. Those which he had bought singly from various sources during forty years numbered no more than 250 items, but these were all gems. In 1846 he bought the Stowe MSS., which consisted of 1040 numbers, the result of long and laborious gathering in the last century by Thomas Astle and Charles O'Connor. In 1847 he bought *en bloc* the entire "Libri collection," consisting of 1923 articles, which had been acquired during many years of industrious search in old libraries by Guglielmo Libri, a man of exceptional knowledge and ability. In 1849 he bought *en bloc* for £8000 the whole collection of Jean Barrois, chiefly remarkable for old French texts, altogether 702 MSS. The price which he paid for this Stowe collection in 1846 was £8000, a valuation then regarded as excessive by the Trustees of the British Museum, who had the first offer and rejected it. The same collection was secured by the English government for the same institution in 1883 for £45,000. This was one of the results of negotiations started by the present Earl for the sale of the entire library. He first asked £160,000 for the whole, printed books and manuscripts; next he asked the same amount for the MSS. alone. At this price the British Museum authorities desired to purchase them but the Chancellor of the Exchequer refused, and so far as the English nation was concerned its dealing with Lord Ashburnham ended in the acquisition of the Stowe collection. During the negotiation with the British Museum, appeals for consideration had come in from the French and Italian authorities. It had been discovered—chiefly by the ingenious researches of Léopold Delisle—that many of the Libri and

of the Barrois MSS. had been stolen from French public libraries; and similar observations revealed that the Italian libraries had also been plundered by Libri. It was arranged between the heads of the British Museum library and M. Delisle for the Bibliothèque Nationale, that if the whole collection of MSS. should be bought by the former for £160,000, they would cede to the Paris library for £24,000 the articles which were claimed as undeniable fruits of theft from various French institutions between 1840 and 1847. When that scheme fell through, by reason of the Chancellor of the Exchequer's unwillingness, the French authorities were thrown out of their reckoning, and paused to reflect. Advantage was taken at this moment by a third party to step into the place of the hesitating Frenchmen, and to utilize a long-desired opportunity. Karl Trübner, of Strassburg, acting as private and voluntary agent for the Grand Duke of Baden and the German Imperial authorities, entered into a long correspondence with Lord Ashburnham. He finally visited him and paid down in 1887 the £24,000 which had been fixed as the valuation of the 166 MSS. (99 Libri and 67 Barrois, or 100 and 66) which had been stolen from French libraries. Mr. Trübner's primary object, which he successfully achieved, was to recover the famous Manesse Liederbuch, a thirteenth century MSS. carried away by the French from Heidelberg in 1656, the loss of which had ever since been regarded as a national calamity in Germany. For £6000 in cash and this precious volume, he handed over the 166 Libri and Barrois MSS. to the Bibliothèque Nationale. By a simple arithmetical process, we can conclude that £18,000 was the net cost to the German Exchequer of a single volume of old German ballads—the highest price ever paid for a book. Both parties were satisfied, and ought to have continued so; but the Administrateur Général of the Bibliothèque afterward unreasonably complained of the enormous sacrifice that was inflicted upon France by the transaction.

The Italian government, at a price in accordance with the details of the valuation made for the British Museum in 1883 (when the total amounted to £160,000), bought all the Libri MSS. which remained after the extraction of the 99 (or 100) articles that went to France; and with them also ten codices of Dante which had been included in the separately gathered department of 250 MSS. Thus we see that between 1883 and 1887 Lord Ashburnham realized for 3040 out of his total 3916 a sum enormously in excess of the original cost of the whole collection of Ashburnham MSS.—we may venture to say nearly £50,000 profit. He has sold since then the 240 volumes of the private collection catalogue in the Appendix volume; but he still has 636 books of the Barrois collection. There will, no doubt, some day be a sale of this important reserved portion.

As for the Stowe collection of MSS., now divided between the British Museum and the Dublin library, we shall no doubt possess before long a better description of the items in all departments than is to be found in O'Connor's catalogue done for the Duke of Buckingham. An Italian catalogue of the Libri MSS. was begun ten years ago by C. Paoli in Florence, and will, when completed, be a valuable book of reference.

A SWINDLING BOOKWORM.

ON September 3, 1896, William Mills Butler, alias Westerfield, was arrested in St. Louis, Mo., for using the mails to defraud. He had some letter-heads lithographed, ostensibly for the Orphans' Home at Rondout, N. Y., with the name of W. S. Bissell, the ex-Postmaster General, in the corner as President. Butler's name appeared as Secretary.

He used these letter-heads in ordering books, and his orders were filled. Finally he was arrested and pleaded guilty. While in jail he repeated the offence. He always got books by standard authors. In extenuation of his action he said that he had a consuming desire for knowledge.

His term for the first offence expired on the 3d inst. United States Judge Adams says that he is loath to sentence Butler again. He thinks that Butler is not a criminal, but simply wants learning, and is too poor to pay for it. He has taken the case under advisement.

OBITUARY NOTES.

HENRY WILSON, who was a commercial traveller for D. Appleton & Co., was found dead in his room at the Richelieu Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., November 26.

JOHN P. JACKSON, of the New York *Herald* staff, died in Paris on the 1st inst. New York opera-goers will recall Mr. Jackson as the translator of fully three-fourths of the text-books used in the productions at the Metropolitan Opera House.

CHARLES A. HARDY, a well-known Catholic publisher of Philadelphia, died on the 4th inst. at the St. Charles Hotel, Atlantic City, N. J. He was the founder and publisher of the *American Catholic Quarterly Review*, publisher of the *Catholic Standard*, and later of the *Catholic Standard and Times*. Mr. Hardy was fifty years old and prominent in the Roman Catholic Church in Philadelphia.

THE REV. DR. JOHN ATKINSON, pastor of the Haverstraw, N. Y., Methodist Episcopal Church, died in that place on the 8th inst. Dr. Atkinson was born in Deerfield, Salem County, N. J., in 1835. He was the author of the well-known hymn, "We Shall Meet Beyond the River," and of numerous works on church affairs, among which are the "Class Leader," "Garden of Sorrows," etc.

MRS. ALICE WELLINGTON ROLLINS, a well-known writer, died in Bronxville, N. Y., on the 5th inst. She was born in Boston, June 12, 1847. In 1876 she was married to Daniel M. Rollins, of the firm of Henry Foster & Co., of New York. Her best-known books are "The Story of a Ranch," "From Palm to Glacier," "The Ring of Amethyst," "Dealing in Futures," "Little Page Fern," "The Finding of the Gentian," and "Uncle Tom's Tenement." She was for many years one of the most active of *The Critic's* reviewers.

WILLIAM A. HOLMAN, senior member of the firm of A. J. Holman & Co., died in Philadelphia on the 6th inst., after an illness of but a few days. Up to within the past week Mr. Holman had appeared in his usual health, and his death, therefore, came to his many friends as a sudden shock. Mr. Holman was a son of A. J. Holman (the founder of the well-known house bearing his name, who died in 1891), and was in the fifty-second year of his age.

He has been identified with the business since its establishment, and was personally known to a great many members of the book and publishing trades. Mr. Holman was a member of the Masonic Order, Pennsylvania Historical Society and Union League, Philadelphia. He leaves a widow, son and daughter. The son, W. K. Holman, has for the past year or two taken an active part in the business. The funeral took place on the 9th inst., and interment was from St. Stephen's P. E. Church, Philadelphia. A meeting of the Book Trade Association of Philadelphia was held on the 8th inst., at the office of the Jessup & Moore Paper Co., 28 South Sixth Street. Suitable resolutions were passed regretting the untimely death of Mr. Holman.

JOHN MACFARLANE, for many years one of Detroit's best-known booksellers, died at his residence, 83 Alfred Street, Detroit, Mich., on the 2d inst. Mr. Macfarlane was of Highland Scotch descent, and was born in Huntingdon, Province of Quebec, January 18, 1841. He removed to Detroit in 1862, and entered the employ of W. L. Foster & Co., booksellers. In 1867 he became connected with E. B. Smith, and in 1881 he went into business for himself at 135 Woodward Avenue. He was peculiarly adapted to the pursuit he chose and prospered so well that in 1885 he induced Maxwell Fisher to erect the building at 157 Woodward Avenue, so as to meet all the requirements of a bookstore. There he remained until November, 1895, when ill-health made it imperative that he give up. He did so with reluctance, after thirty-three years in the book business. Mr. Macfarlane was not only a seller of books but a lover of them, and he was an acknowledged authority on bibliographical matters. He did much to create a desire for good reading and established a cosy corner in his store where patrons were able to examine books at their leisure. A widow and one daughter survive him.

JOURNALISTIC NOTES.

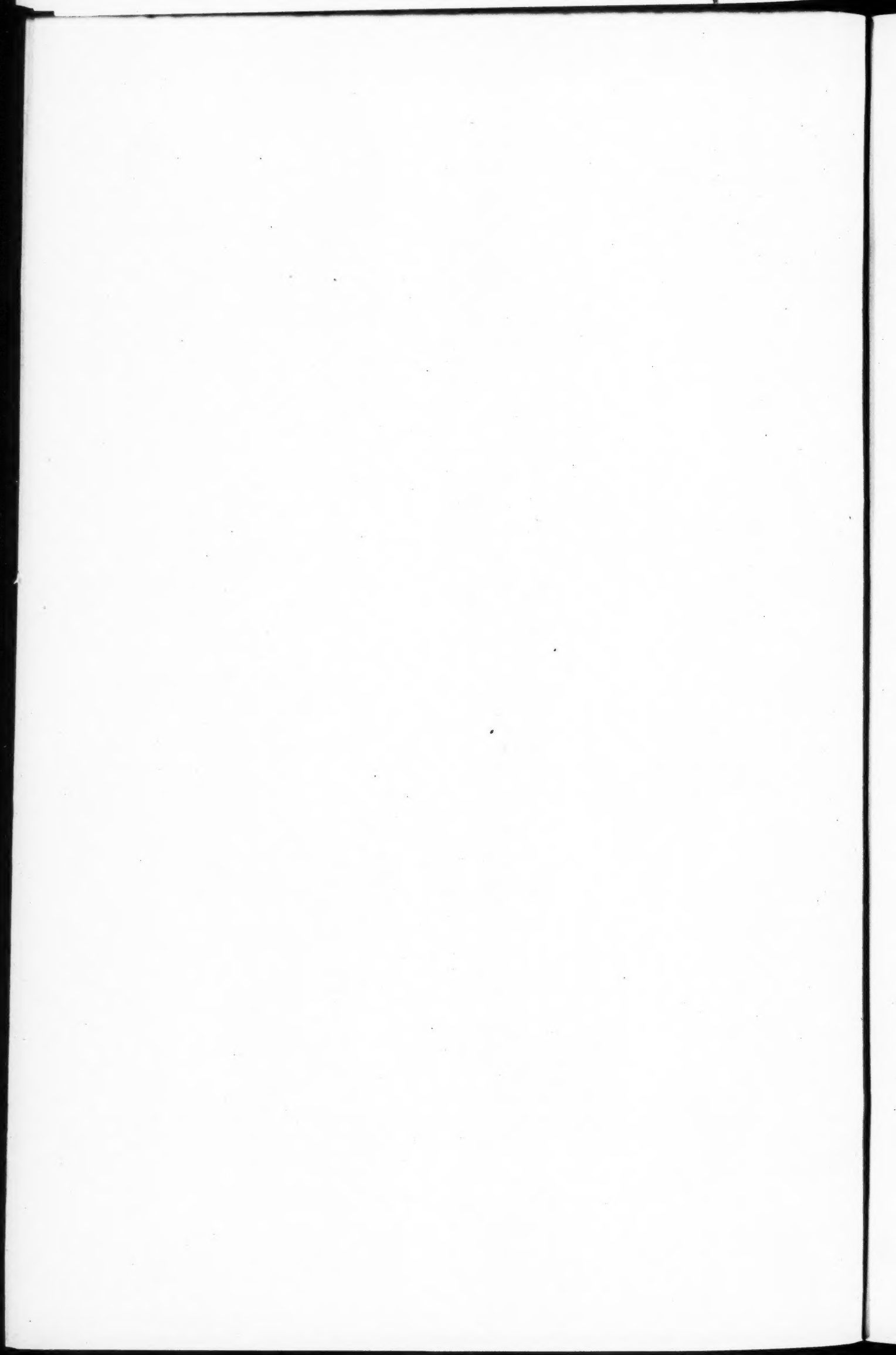
AFTER a long and lingering decadence *The Yellow Book* has died. Its decease has been ascribed to the fact that it had become a quarterly which came out about once a year."

Osprey, an illustrated monthly magazine of ornithology, hitherto published at Galesburg, Ill., by Walter Adams Johnson, in association with Dr. Elliott Coues, is about to be transferred to New York City, where it will be issued in enlarged and otherwise modified form by the Doubleday & McClure Co. The *Osprey* began as an amateur periodical, but outgrew its class with its first volume, and now awaits further development in the larger field it has found. Colored plates will be a feature of the magazine under the new management.

THE centenary of Heine will engage the pens of several writers in the Christmas number of *Cosmopolis*. I. Zangwill has written a story, based on Heine's life, entitled "From a Mattress Grave," which also appears in the December *Atlantic Monthly*. Prof. Dowden has an article entitled "Heinrich Heine: a Centenary Retrospect," and Mr. Hyndman an article on "Society of the Future," treating the subject from a Socialist point of view. French and German articles on the Heine centenary will also appear in the same number of *Cosmopolis*.



WILLIAM A. HOLMAN.



THE bound volume of *Harper's Round Table* for 1897 has retained the consecutive number of *Harper's Young People* and is volume XVIII. This book, numbering nearly thirteen hundred pages, contains eight complete serial stories, by such favorites as Kirk Munroe, Captain Charles King, Molly Elliot Seawell, Ellen Douglas Deland, etc. Readers of mechanical tastes can find explanations of how to make model yachts, stereopticons and all manner of kites. Amateur photography, athletics, and collections of stamps and coins are specially described. Innumerable short stories, pathetic and humorous, are a feature of the volume. As a collection of fascinating illustrations this bound volume of the *Round Table* is unparalleled.

BUSINESS NOTES.

BOSTON, MASS.—Thos. B. Noonan, who for nearly a quarter of a century has had the largest Catholic book-store in this city, has sold his stock and good-will to Marlier, Calahan & Co.

BOSTON, MASS.—A fire in the plant of the Riverside Press (Houghton, Mifflin & Co.), in Blackstone Street, Cambridge, early in the evening of the 8th inst., caused a damage of \$20,000 by water. The fire started in the bindery. The watchman sounded the alarm, and the employees' fire brigade responded from their homes nearby, and practically extinguished the flames before the Cambridge Fire Department arrived. A large number of finished books were ruined by water. If the fire had happened a few days later the damage would not have been so great, as the last of the Christmas books were being finished up for the market, and would soon have been shipped.

CHICAGO, ILL.—The Chicago Medical Book Co., 35-37 Randolph Street, announces that it has bought the entire stock of the W. T. Keener Co., and is now prepared to fill orders.

FORT WORTH, TEX.—Charles Scheuber has opened a book and stationery store here.

HAMILTON, O.—Frank Moore will open a book-store here.

HARRISBURG, PA.—H. B. Spahr has bought the book and stationery store of L. R. Zimmerman.

HERKIMER, N. Y.—J. Shelhorn has opened a book-store on Liberty Street.

LOS ANGELES, CAL.—Fowler & Colwell, book-sellers, will move into the new Helman block, just completed.

MIAMISBURG, O.—Charles and Harry Andrews have bought C. W. Dodds's book-store.

NEW YORK CITY.—Jane Regand has removed her book and stationery business to 111-115 W. 38th Street.

NEW YORK CITY.—Fleming H. Revell Company have taken lease of the store on the ground floor north of the main entrance in the Presbyterian Building, N. W. corner of Fifth Avenue and Twentieth Street. They expect to be in possession by February next. Fleming H. Revell, the president and founder of the company, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of his entering the publishing business in Chicago,

on November 13. Since then the business has developed greatly, and branches have been established here and in Toronto. From the first the firm has made a specialty of missionary publications, but the classified, topical index covering the hundreds of works that bear its imprint to-day, shows that it has by no means confined its energies to the dissemination of religious literature.

NEW YORK CITY.—In addition to the fifty per cent. already paid to the creditors of Charles L. Webster & Co., Samuel L. Clemens ("Mark Twain") has just personally paid an additional twenty-five per cent. Under date of December 6, his representative writes that Mr. Clemens hopes to be able later to pay the full amount of all the claims against the firm.

NORTHFIELD, MASS.—The Bible Institute and Colportage's new book-store will be ready shortly for occupancy.

RICHMOND, VA.—Montgomery West, of the late firm of West, Johnston & Co., has taken J. J. English's place as assistant to Col. Bidgood, who is winding up the affairs of the J. W. Randolph Co.

SALEM, MASS.—W. Harvey Merrill, book-seller and stationer, has been appointed post master.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS.—At a recent business meeting of the Christian Unity Publishing Company, it was practically decided, so far as the society is concerned, to unite or consolidate the publishing society with the Christian Unity Association. It is understood that the scheme includes a material interest in the consolidated society by Henry L. Hastings, the publisher, of Boston, and other prominent men.

NOTES ON CATALOGUES.

THE Atlanta (Ga.) branch of the American Baptist Publication Society, under the management of F. J. Paxon, has issued an attractive Christmas book circular which differs from other publications of this kind in that it is entirely original. The booklet is printed on hand-made paper and contains three original poems. The first, by Frank L. Stanton, is on "My Friends—My Books"; the second, by Minnie Quinn, describes "The Land Where the Books Come True," and the third, by Charles W. Hubner, is "A Dream of Books." In the two last named the titles of some of the more recent books are ingeniously introduced. The cover paper is a delicate shade of green on which the design is printed in colors and gold. It is a souvenir of the season that will command the attention of all who receive it.

CATALOGUES OF NEW AND SECOND-HAND BOOKS.—A. S. Clark, 74 Fulton St., N. Y., Miscellaneous, second-hand. (No. 45, 32 p. 12°.)—Francis P. Harper, 17 E. 16th St., N. Y., Standard and out-of-print books and autograph letters. (No. 78, 466 + titles.)—Otto Harrassowitz, 14 Queerstr., Leipzig. Eranische, kaukasische, finnisch-ugrische u. türkisch-tatarische Sprachen u. Völker. (No. 228, 1359 titles.)—S. F. McLean & Co., 44 E. 23d St., N. Y., Miscellaneous and Library Bargain List, (November, 270 titles.)—B. & J. F. Methan, 32 Gay St., Bath, Eng., Miscellaneous. (No. 46, 1324 titles.)—E. Steiger & Co., 25 Park Pl., N. Y., Monthly Bulletin of New German Pub-

lications. (No. 59, pp. 161-176, 20 cents a year.)—*J. & M. L. Tregaskis*, 232 High Holborn, London, Eng., Manuscripts, books, caricatures, etc. (No. 383, 848 titles.)

LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

SILVER, BURDETT & Co. entertained their employees at a banquet at Young's Hotel, Boston, on the evening of November 19. Fifty persons were present.

A PORTION of one of A. Conan Doyle's Brigadier Gerard stories, which are published by D. Appleton & Co., is to be issued in raised print for the use of the blind.

FUNK & WAGNALLS Co. have just ready a volume on "Hawaii, our new possessions," by John R. Musick, with illustrations by Philip E. Flintoff and Freeland A. Carter.

THE OPEN COURT PUBLISHING Co., Chicago, has published a handsome water-color poster of the little book "Nirvana," by Paul Carus, that will attract attention when placed in the window or hung up in the store.

THE CENTURY COMPANY has gathered together from the pages of the *Century Magazine* a collection of portraits of celebrated people which are put up in a portfolio and entitled "The Century Gallery of One Hundred Portraits."

WILLIAM LLOYD GARRISON, 53 Federal Street, Boston, as treasurer of a committee formed to further the work, solicits subscriptions for "A History of Woman," by George Willis Cooke, intended to be "a scientific study of her social, moral, and intellectual development."

E. P. DUTTON & Co. have just published by arrangement with Isbister & Co., of London, "The Life of Barney I. Barnato, the famous Australian speculator and diamond mine owner." The book, as has already been announced, is by Henry Raymond, and contains a portrait of Barnato.

GOUPIL & Co. have in hand a personal life of Charles I. by the late Sir John Skelton. It is to be issued as a fine-art book on the same lines as works already published on Mary Stuart and Queen Elizabeth. The illustrations are mostly from the royal collections at Windsor and Buckingham Palace.

THE FREDERICK A. STOKES COMPANY have just published an *édition de luxe* of Owen Meredith's "Lucile," illustrated with twelve facsimiles of water-colors by Madeleine Lemaire, and upwards of one hundred illustrations in black-and-white, by C. McCormick Rogers—the whole making a large quarto volume, with a handsome cover design in green and gold.

THE case of The Chancellor, Masters and Scholars of the University of Oxford vs. the Wilmore-Andrews Publishing Company has been referred to U. S. Commissioner Shields to take testimony and to prepare and present such testimony before the court. The hearing before the Commissioner will be a long one, and it will be some time before the case will come to trial in court.

A. S. BARNES & Co. will publish at once a volume of twenty sermons by Dr. Walton W. Battershall, rector of St. Peter's Church, Albany, N. Y., under the title of "Interpretations of Life and Religion." They have also nearly ready a collection of stories by Annie Eliot Trumbull, daughter of the late John Hammond

Trumbull, LL.D., entitled "A Christmas Accident and Other Stories."

THE PENN PUBLISHING COMPANY has ready "Miss Wildfire," a story for girls, illustrated by Ida Waugh; "The Girl Ranchers," by Mrs. Carrie Marshall, and "True to His Trust," by the ever-popular writer for boys, Edward S. Ellis. J. Steeple Davis has made the illustrations for Mr. Ellis's new story with the same excellent result as was displayed in his drawings for "Uncrowning a King." This latter book, by the way, has been selected for the State schools of Indiana to be included in the regular course of reading.

THE Coast and Geodetic Survey has prepared and will soon publish a new map, which will cover practically the entire length of the Yukon River and most of its tributaries, including the Klondike. The scale is twenty miles to the inch. The section embraced extends from the Selwyn River, several hundred miles above Dawson City, to the Yukon's mouth, and is wide enough to give a fair idea of the extent and character of all the streams. It shows the location and extent of the new St. Michael military reservation, and gives the location of all towns and mining camps.

THE MACMILLAN COMPANY have issued the fourth volume of Gibbon's "History of the Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire," with introductions, notes, appendices, and index, by J. B. Bury, Professor of Modern History in Dublin University; and the third and fourth volumes of *Gossip of the Century* are announced under the title of "Social Hours with Celebrities," by Mrs. W. Pitt Byrne. The volumes are edited by the author's sister, Miss R. H. Busk, and contain sixty-six illustrations showing the chief actors of the century in the fields of literature, politics, religion, music, art and the drama.

In addition to the books already announced, two further volumes will be printed at the Kelmscott Press, namely: "Some German Woodcuts of the Fifteenth Century" and "A Note by William Morris on his aims in starting the Kelmscott Press." Besides facts concerning the Press, the latter volume will contain an annotated list of all the books there printed, compiled by S. C. Cockerell. An added interest will be given to this production from the fact that it will be the last book printed at the Kelmscott Press, which will be closed early in the new year. The type will remain in the hands of trustees and the wood-blocks will be deposited in the British Museum.

E. F. BONAVENTURE, 6 W. Thirty-third Street, New York, has on exhibition a number of fine books in rich bindings, by some of the most eminent artist-binders. Among the attractions are "Constitution des Amours," bound by Trautz-Bauzonnet; "Drawings by Fragonard," bound by Cuzin, with original miniature inlaid in the *double*; Ireland's "Life of Napoleon," bound by Chambolle-Duru; Theuriet's "La Vie Rustique," bound by Ritter, and Hamerton's "Etching and Etchers," bound by David. Besides these there are bindings by Stikeman, Capé, Affolter, Lortic, Carayon, Thierry, Ruban, Canape, Champs, Taffin-Lefort, Meunier, Matthews, Bretault, and Rousselle. The exhibition is the sixth held by Mr. Bonaventure, and will close on the 18th inst.

AUCTION SALES.

[We shall be pleased to insert under this heading, without charge, advance notices of auction sales to be held anywhere in the United States. Word must reach us before Wednesday evening, to be in time for issue of same week.]

DECEMBER 13, 3 P.M.—Miscellaneous, including Americana, limited and first editions and fine illustrated books. (280 lots.)—*Bangs*.

DECEMBER 15-17, 3 P.M.—Miscellaneous. (1049 lots.)—*Bangs*.

TERMS OF ADVERTISING.

Under the heading "Books Wanted," subscribers only are entitled to a free insertion of five lines for books out of print, exclusive of address (in any issue except special numbers), to an extent not exceeding 100 lines a year. If more than five lines are sent, the excess is at 10 cents per line, and amount should be enclosed. Bids for current books and such as may be easily had from the publishers, and repeated matter, as well as all advertisements from non-subscribers, must be paid for at the rate of 10 cents per line.

Under the heading "Books for Sale," the charge to subscribers and non-subscribers is 10 cents per line for each insertion. No deduction for repeated matter.


Under the heading "Situations Wanted," subscribers are entitled to one free insertion of five lines. For repeated matter and advertisements of non-subscribers the charge is 10 cents per line.

All other small advertisements will be charged at the uniform rate of 10 cents per line. Eight words may be reckoned to the line.


Parties with whom we have no accounts must pay in advance, otherwise no notice will be taken of their communications.

Parties desiring to receive answers to their advertisements through this office must either call for them or enclose postage stamps with their orders for the insertion of such advertisements. In all cases we must have the full address of advertisers as a guarantee of good faith.

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 Write your wants plainly and on one side of the sheet only. Illegibly-written "wants" will be considered as not having been received. The "Publishers' Weekly" does not hold itself responsible for errors.

It should be understood that the appearance of advertisements in this column, or elsewhere in the "Publishers' Weekly," does not furnish a guarantee of credit. While it is endeavored to safeguard these columns by withdrawing the privilege of their use from advertisers who are not "good pay," booksellers should take the usual precaution, as to advertisers not known to them, that they would take in making sales to any unknown parties.

The Alliance Pub. Co., 19 and 21 W. 31st St., New York.

The Secret Symbols of the Rosicrucians, by Franz Hartmann.

American Baptist Publication Society, Chicago. Baptizien, by Conant.

Joseph Norill's Revenge, by Cherbuliez; formerly pub. in Seaside Library.

History for Ready Reference, Larned.

Gloag's Epistles of Paul.

Old Boston Taverns.

Schrader's Cuneiform Inscriptions. Williams & Norgate.

American Press Co., Baltimore, Md.

Andrew Lang, Myth, Ritual and Religion.

Beechenbrook, by Margaret J. Preston.

Cooke, Wearing of the Gray.

My Cave Life in Vicksburg.

Wm. Ballantyne & Sons, 428 7th St., Washington, D. C.

Report of an Expedition to the Copper Tanana and Koyukuk Rivers in the Territory of Alaska in the year 1885, by Lieut. Henry T. Allen. Govt. Printing Office, Wash., D. C., 1887.

The Anglo-American Sabbath, Philip Schaff.

N. J. Bartlett & Co., 28 Cornhill, Boston, Mass. Bowne's Philosophy of Herbert Spencer. N. Y., 1874.

W. J. Bawden, 317 8th St., Troy, N. Y. Set Taine's English Literature, limited. Gebbie & Co. " Balzac, limited. Gebbie & Co. " Stage and Its Stars, limited. Gebbie & Co. " Victor Hugo, limited. Geo. Barrie. " Dumas' Celebrated Crimes, limited. Geo. Barrie. " Bibliophilists' Library, " "

The Boston Book Co., Freeman Place Chapel, Boston, Mass.

Farrar, C. A. J., Through the Wilds: Sport and adventure in Forests of N. H. and Maine. Boston, 1892.

Science, 1895 and '97.

Decorator and Furnisher, Dec., 1894; Oct., '95.

The Bowen-Merrill Co., Indianapolis, Ind. Hale's Poetical Dictionary.

Bowers & Loy, 10 Park Pl., N. Y.

Migration of Symbols, D'Alviella.

Wm. Penn's Maxims.

Rufus Choate's Speeches, ed. by Brown, 2 v.

Broadhead's History of N. Y., v. 2 or set.

Chas. L. Burlingame & Co., Box 851, Chicago, Ill. [Cash.]

Old books on Magic, Conjurers, and kindred lines in English, German, and French.

Butte Free Public Library, Butte, Montana.

Coyner, D. H., The Lost Trappers. Cincinnati, 1859.

Dunn, J., Oregon Ter. and British N. A. Fur Trade.

Snell, Primer of Italian Literature.

West, J., First Journal During Residence at the Red River Colony, 1820-3, 2d ed.

W. H. Campion & Co., 1006 Walnut St., Phila., Pa.

Set Works of Richard F. Burton.

Audubon's Quadrupeds, 3 v., 8°.

Century Cyclopedia of Names, shp. binding.

Carnegie Free Library, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Von Sybel, History and Literature of the Crusades.

Gerome, Text and title-page to accompany plates.

Engineering and Mining Journal, Jan. 26, 1895.

Engineering Record, Jan. 9, 1892.

A. H. Clapp, 32 Maiden Lane, Albany, N. Y.

Microscopy for Beginners. Harper.

The St. John River in Maine.

Quebec and New Brunswick, by J. H. Bailey.

Margaret and Her Bridesmaids, cl.

Among the Pueblo Indians.

The Holy Mother.

Clapp & Jones, Brattleboro, Vt.

Colonial Furniture of New England, Lyons. H., M. & Co., 1891.

Henry F. Clark, 427 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

Journal of Our Life in the Highlands, by Queen Victoria. Harpers.

Notes in England and Italy, by Sophia Hawthorne. Houghton, Mifflin & Co.

W. B. Clarke & Co., Park and Tremont Sts., Boston, Mass.

Life of Giordano Bruno, by I. Frith.

Tent Life in the Holy Land, Prime.

Boat Life on the Nile,

Henry T. Coates & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

City of Dreadful Night, by Thomson.

The New York Drama, a choice collection of Tragedies, Comedies, Farces, etc., in 5 vols. New York, 1880.

Molly Maguires, by Dewees.

Essays on Symbolism, by Beclow.

Phallexesus, by Hargraves Jennings.

Tales of the Kings of England, by Stephen Percy. Pub. by John Wiley, 1849.

History of De Soto in Florida, by Shipp.

Discovery and Conquest of Florida, by W. B. Rye.

History of Florida, 1512-1842, by Fairbanks.

Congregational S. S. and Pub. Soc., Beacon and Somerset Sts., Boston, Mass.

The Great Awakening, by Tracy.

Bradford's Plymouth Plantation, Deane's ed.

Curts & Jennings, 57 Washington St., Chicago, Ill. Davis, Nature's Divine Revelations.

Curts & Jennings, 220 W. 4th St., Cincinnati, O. The Psalms in History and Biography. Pub. by Carter.

Cushing & Co., 34 W. Baltimore St., Baltimore, Md.

Dora Greenwell's Patience of Hope.

The Three Voyages of the Challenger.

BOOKS WANTED.—Continued.

- E. Darrow & Co., Rochester, N. Y. [Cash.]**
 Bush, On Deuteronomy.
Dodd, Mead & Co., 149 and 151 Fifth Ave., N. Y.
 Great Treason, 1st ed.
 Count Frontenac, 1st ed., Parkman.
 Montcalm and Wolfe, 1st ed., Parkman.
 Sea Power, 3 v., 1st ed., by Mahan.
 The Residuary Legatee, 1st ed.
 The Gray Lady, 1st ed.
 Discourses on Architecture Viollet-le-Duc.
 Treatise on Architecture, Viollet-le-Duc.
 Seats of the Mighty, 1st ed.
 Far in the Forest, 1st ed., by Mitchell.
 The Jesuits in North America, 1st ed., Parkman.
 Letters of Baroness Riedesel, Munsell.
 Sylvester's Paleographie Universelle, 4 v.; not the condensed edition.
 Merrie England, Grace Greenwood.
 Bonnie Scotland,
 Enigmas of Life, W. R. Greg.
Wm. Donaldson & Co., Minneapolis, Minn.
 The Evolution of English Paragraph, by Lewis.
Charles H. Dressel, 559½ Broad St., Newark, N. J. [Cash.]
 Dickens' Works,
 Thackeray's Works, } éd. de luxe. Estes & Lauriat.
 Victor Hugo's Works, }
 State lowest price.
E. P. Dutton & Co., 31 W. 23d St., N. Y.
 Holland's Recollections of a Past Life.
 Before the Gringo Came, Atherton.
Eclectic Book Store, N. W. cor. Main and Second Sts., Los Angeles, Cal. [Cash.]
 Clark's Commentaries.
 Andrews' Raides, by Pittinger. 1863.
 Metal-Workers Pattern Book, late ed.
 War Between the States, 2d v., hf. cf., by A. H. Stephens.
 Web's Word Method of the First Reader.
 Farer's Thanophimia of Indians.
A. E. Eddy, 100 Gallup St., Providence, R. I.
 Ryle's Commentary on Matthew.
Elm City Old Book Store, 1075 Chapel St., New Haven, Conn.
 Catlin's North Am. Indians, 2 v.
 Peloubet's Notes, 1874.
 Hollister's Connecticut, v. 1.
Estes & Lauriat, 301 Washington St., Boston, Mass.
 Birds, Nick of the Woods.
 Art Student in Munich, } Mary Howitt.
 Our Cousins in Ohio, }
 Children's Year, Mary Howitt, English ed.
 Champney, Three Vassar Girls in England.
 Prime, Pottery and Porcelain.
 China Hunters' Club.
 Colonial Furniture, by Lyons.
F. A. Fernald, Boulevard and 117th St., N. Y. [Cash.]
 Von Sybel, History and Literature of the Crusades.
P. K. Foley, 26 Bromfield St., Boston, Mass.
 Mirick's History of Haverhill.
 Holmes's Poems, 286 p. 1849.
 Whittier, Child-Life in Prose. 1874.
 " A Sabbath Scene. 1853 or '54.
 " Justice and Expediency. Haverhill, 1833.
A. E. Foote, 1317 Arch St., Phila., Pa.
 Storer, Fishes of Massachusetts.
 Strassburger's Practical Botany.
 Watts, H. C., Physical Life of Woman.
Fords, Howard & Hulbert, 47 E. 10th St., New York City.
 Heavenly Recognition, by T. M. McWhinney.
Gammel Book Co., 619 Congress Ave., Austin Tex.
 The Home of the Lost Child; or, House of Good Shepherd.
F. E. Grant, 23 West 42d Street, New York.
 Behrman, Commentary on Daniel.
 Bathgen, Commentary on Psalms in English or German.
 Davidson, The Wisdom Literature.
 Dillman, On Exodus and Leviticus.
 " On Numbers, Deuteronomy, and Joshua.
 " On Isaiah.
 Dill, On the Book of Job.
 Ginsburg, Commentary on Proverbs.
 " Introduction of the Hebrew Bible.
 " Palaeographic Supplement

F. E. Grant.—Continued.

- Kuenen, On Prophets and Prophecy.
 Schultze, Theology of Peter and Paul. Bethlehem.
 Wiedermann, Ancient Egyptian Doctrine of the Immortality of the Soul.
 McGiffert's Translation of Eusebius.
 Wildboer or Wildbauer, Origin of the Canon of the Old Testament.
 Scenes from the George Eliot Country, by Parkinson.
 10-v. ed. of Century Dictionary. Must be low.
 Ladies On Horseback, by O'Donoghue.
 Hints for Horsewomen.
 Spain in Profile, by J. A. Harrison.
 The Sun Maid, by Miss Grant.
 Annals of Newtown, Long Island, by James Riker. D. Fanshaw, 1852.
 Century War Book.
 London Art Journal from 1887.
 Twice Around the Clock, by G. A. Sala.
 Hamilton's Catalogue Raisonné of the Engravings of Sir Joshua Reynolds.
 The City of Dreadful Night, by James Thomson.
 Distraction Displayed, a novel by Mrs. Opie.
 Hume's Natural History of Religions.
 Colonial Furniture and Interiors, by Elwell.
 The Discipline of Life, a novel.
 Inconsequent Lives, by Pierce.
 Penrose, Principles of Athenian Architecture.
 Legends and Myths of Hawaii, by King Kalakaua. Pub. by Webster.
 Turnbull, History of the United States.
 " History of Connecticut.
 Hutchinson's History of Mass. Bay.
 Samuel Williams, History of Vermont.
 George F. Daniels, Huguenots in the Nipmuck Country.
 Ellis, Puritan Age in Mass.
 Belknap's History of New Hampshire.
 Grahame's Colonial History of the U. S.
 The Pilgrim Settlers, by J. E. Roy.
 Hotchkiss, History of Western New York.
 History of Long Island, by B. F. Thompson.
 Neale's Old Church Ministers and Families of Virginia.
 Felt's Annals of Salem.
 Barber and Howe, Historical Collection of State of N. Y.
 Monett's Valley of the Mississippi.
 Abbott's Mexico and the United States.
 Gihon's History of Kansas.
 Earth Work Out of Tuscany.
 The History of Wyoming, by Charles Miner.
 Huidekoper's Judaism in Rome.
 Holland's History of Western Mass.
 Knight's England, il. original ed.; state particulars.
 The Tales of La Fontaine.
S. W. Green, 326 Pearl St., N. Y.
 Dion (or Dio) Cassius, in English.
 Book of the Popes (Journal of their Secretaries), in English.
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